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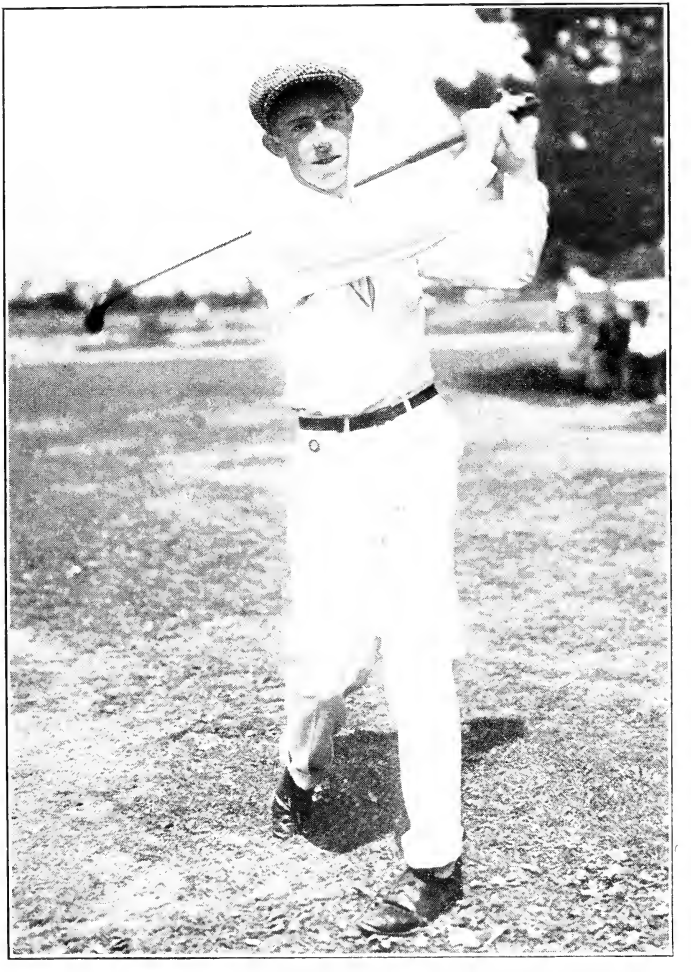

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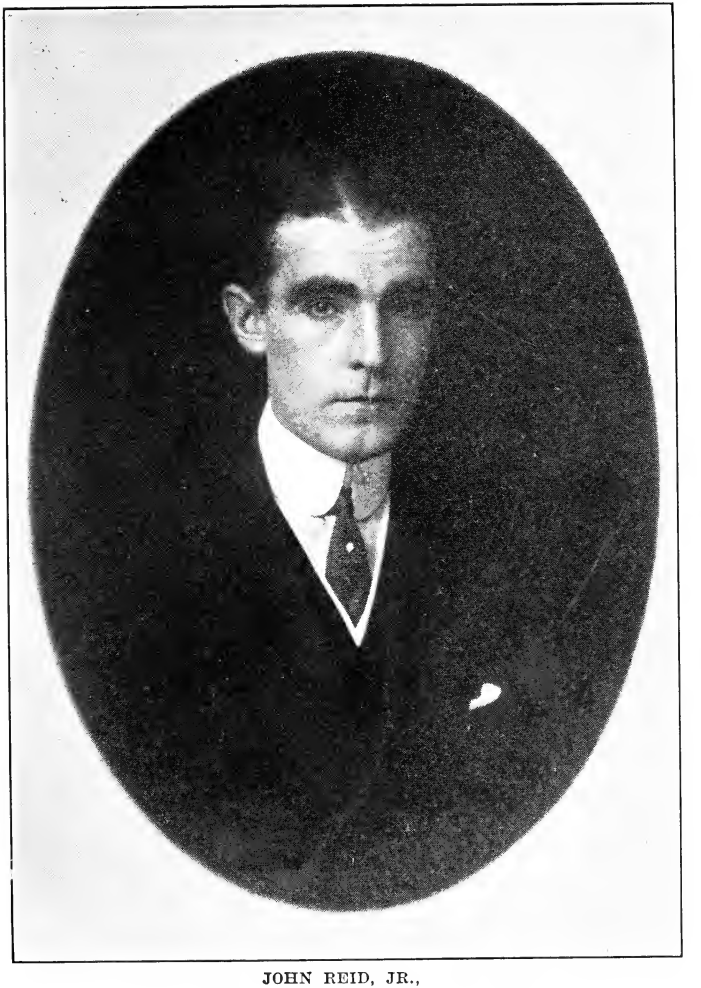

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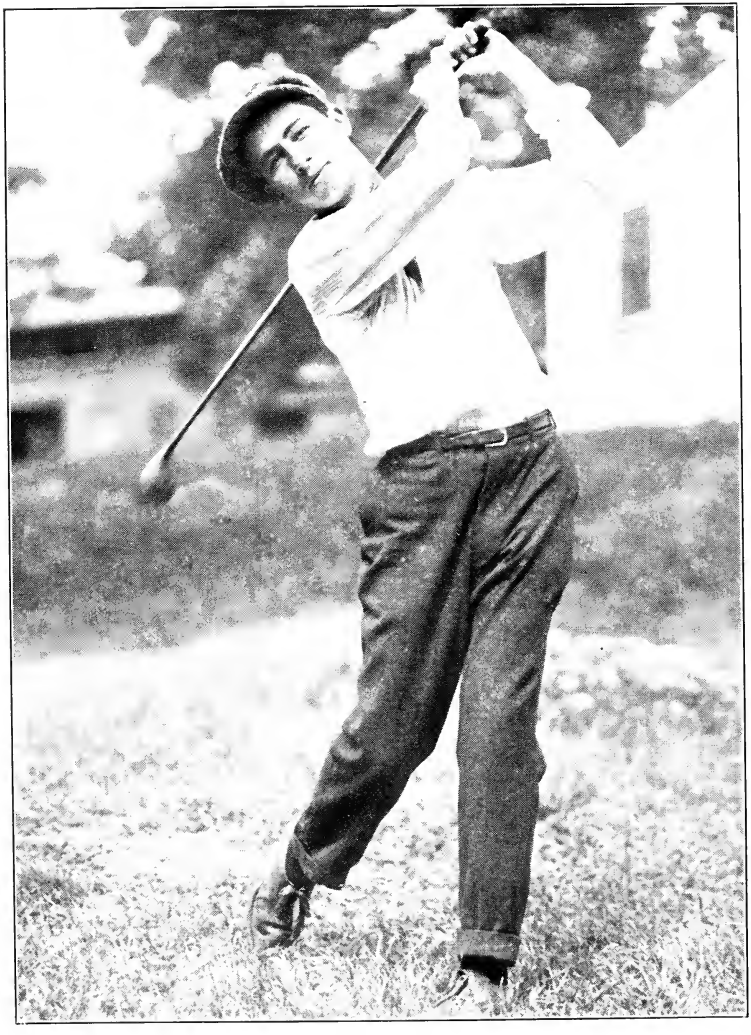

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La Grange Country Club, La Grange, Ill.
Lake Geneva Country Club, Lake Geneva, Wis.
Lake George Club, Diamond Point, on Lake George, N. Y.
Lakeside Country Club, Canton, Ohio.
Lancaster Country Club, Lancaster, Pa.
Lawrence Park Country Club, Bronxville, N. Y.
Leicester Country Club, Leicester, Mass.
Lenox Golf and Lawn Tennis Club, Lenox, Mass.
Lexington Golf Club, Lexington, Mass.
Little Rock Country Club, Little Rock, Ark.
Long Meadow Golf Club, Lowell, Mass.
Los Angeles Country Club, Beverly Mills, L. A. County, Cal.
Louisville Country Club, Louisville, Ky.
Mahopac Golf Club, Lake Mahopac, N. Y.
Maidstone Club, East Hampton, L. I., N. Y.
Manhattan Golf Club, Pelham Bay Park, N. Y.
Maplewood Country Club, Maplewood, N. H.
Marin Golf and Country Club, San Rafael, Cal.
Massapequa Golf and Country Club, Massapequa, L. I., N. Y.
Meadow Brook Golf Club, Reading, Mass.
Mecklenburg Country Club, Charlotte, N. C.
Memphis Country Club, Buntyn, Tenn.
Merchantville Field Club, Merchantville, N. J.
Merrimack Valley Country Club, Lawrence, Mass.
Metacomet Golf Club, Providence, R. I.
Midland Golf Club, Garden City, L. I., N. Y.
Misquamicut Golf Club, Watch Hill, R. I.
Monoosnock Country Club, Leominster, Mass.
Montclair Golf Club, Verona, N. J.
Moorestown Field Club, Moorestown, N. J.
Morristown Field Club, Morristown, N. J.
Mount Anthony Country Club, Bennington, Vt.
Mount Lebanon Country Club, Mount Lebanon, Pa.
Mount Pleasant Golf Club, Lowell, Mass.
Mount Tom Golf Club, Holyoke, Mass.
Nashville Golf and Country Club, Nashville, Tenn.
New Brunswick Country Club, New Brunswick, N. J.
New Castle Country Club, New Castle, Pa.
New Haven Country Club, Whitneyville, Conn.
Newport Golf Club, Newport, R. I.
Newton Golf Club, Newton, Mass.
New York Golf Club, Van Cortlandt Park, New York, N. Y.
New York Newspaper Golf Club, Van Cortlandt Park, New York, N. Y.
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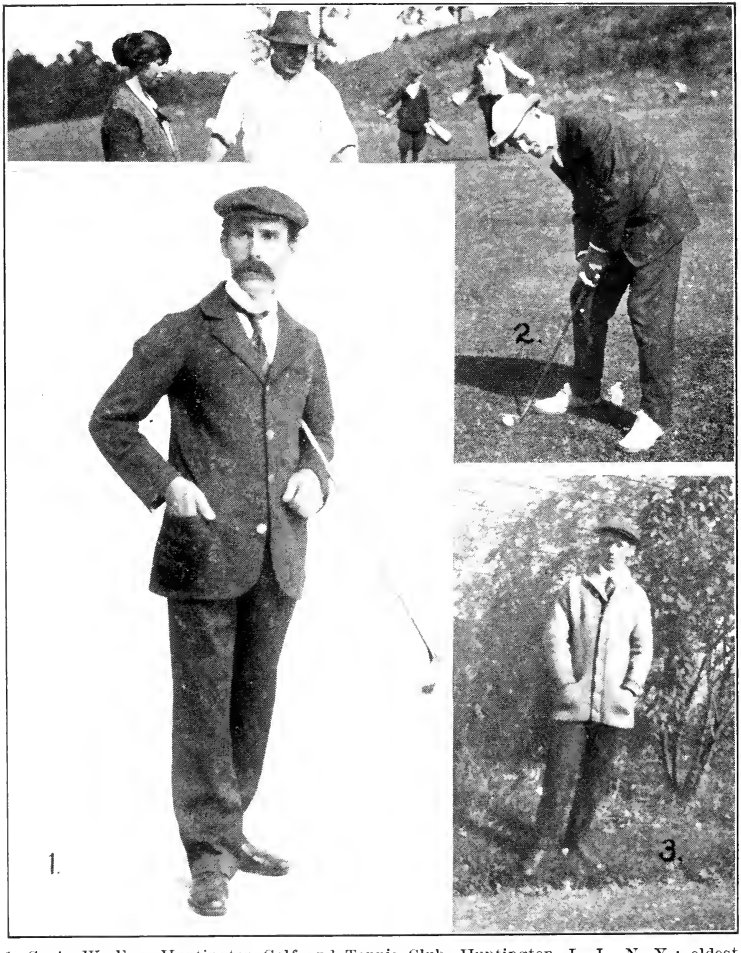

1, C. A. W. Fox, Huntington Golf and Tennis Club, Huntington, L. I., N. Y.; oldest professional in America; competed in first professional championship, 1894; 2, Alex Finley, Professional (putting), Lawrence Park Golf Club, Bronxville, N. Y.; 3, Alex Finley, Jr., Haworth (N. J.) Country Club.

North Hills Country Club, Edge Hill, Pa.
Northland Country Club, Duluth, Minn.
Oak Bluffs Country Club, Oak Bluffs, Mass.
Oak Hill Country Club, Rochester, N. Y.
Oakwood Club, Cleveland, O.
Ocean Country Club, Far Rockaway, L. I., N. Y.
Old York Road Country Club, Jenkintown, Pa.
Omaha Country Club, Benson, Neb.
Omaha Field Club, Omaha, Neb.
Oneida Community Golf Club, Oneida, N. Y.
Onondaga Golf and Country Club, Fayetteville, Onondaga County, N. Y.
Oswego Country Club, Oswego, N. Y.
Otsego Golf Club, Springfield Center, N. Y.
Overbrook Golf Club, Overbrook, Pa.
Owasco Country Club, Auburn, N. Y.
Oxford Country Club, Chicopee Falls, Mass.
Palmetto Golf Club, Aiken, S. C.
Park Club of Buffalo, Delaware Park, Buffalo, N. Y.
Parkersburg Country Club, Parkersburg, W. Va.
Pensacola Country Club, Pensacola, Fla.
Pepperell Country Club, Pepperell, Mass.
Pinehurst Country Club, Pinehurst, N. C.
Pittsburgh Field Club, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Pittsburgh Golf Club, Northumberland Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Plymouth Country Club, Norristown, Pa.
Plymouth Country Club, Plymouth, Mass.
Point Loma Golf Club, San Diego, Cal.
Portage Country Club, Akron, O.
Portland Country Club, Portland, Me.
Portsmouth Country Club, Portsmouth, N. H.
Powelton Club, Newburgh, N. Y.
Presidio Golf Club, San Francisco, Cal.
Princeton Golf Club, Princeton, N. J.
Racine Country Club, Racine, Wis.
Raleigh Country Club, Raleigh, N. C.
Ravisloe Country Club, Homewood, Ill.
Redlands Country Club, Redlands, Cal.
Rhode Island Country Club, Nayatt, R. I.
Richmond County Country Club, Dongan Hills, Staten Island, N. Y.
Ridgewood Club, Columbia, S. C.
Ridgewood Country Club, Ridgewood, N. J.
Ridley Golf Club, Ridley Park, Delaware County, Pa.
Riverside Golf Club, Riverside, Ill.
Riverton Country Club, Riverton, N. J.
Riverview Golf Club, Mt. Clemens, Mich.
Roanoke Country Club (Inc.), Roanoke, Va.
Rockaway Hunting Club, Cedarhurst, L. I., N. Y.
Rockland Country Club, Sparkill, N. Y.
Rumson Country Club, Rumson, N. J.
Rutland Country Club, Rutland, Vt.
Sadaquada Golf Club, Utica, N. Y.
Saegkill Golf Club, Yonkers, N. Y.
St. Augustine Golf Club, St. Augustine, Fla.
St. Davids Golf Club, St. Davids, Pa.
St. Louis Country Club, Clayton, Mo.
Salem Golf Club, Salem, Mass.
San Antonio Country Club, San Antonio, Texas.
San Francisco Golf and Country Club, Ingleside, San Francisco, Cal.
Saratoga Golf Club, Saratoga Springs, N. Y.
Savannah Golf Club, Savannah, Ga.
Scarboro Golf Club, Franklin Park, Boston, Mass.
Scottish-American Golf Club, Van Cortlandt Park, N. Y.
Seattle Golf Club, Seattle, Wash.
Segregansett Country Club, Taunton, Mass.
Sewickley Valley Golf Club, Sewickley, Pa.
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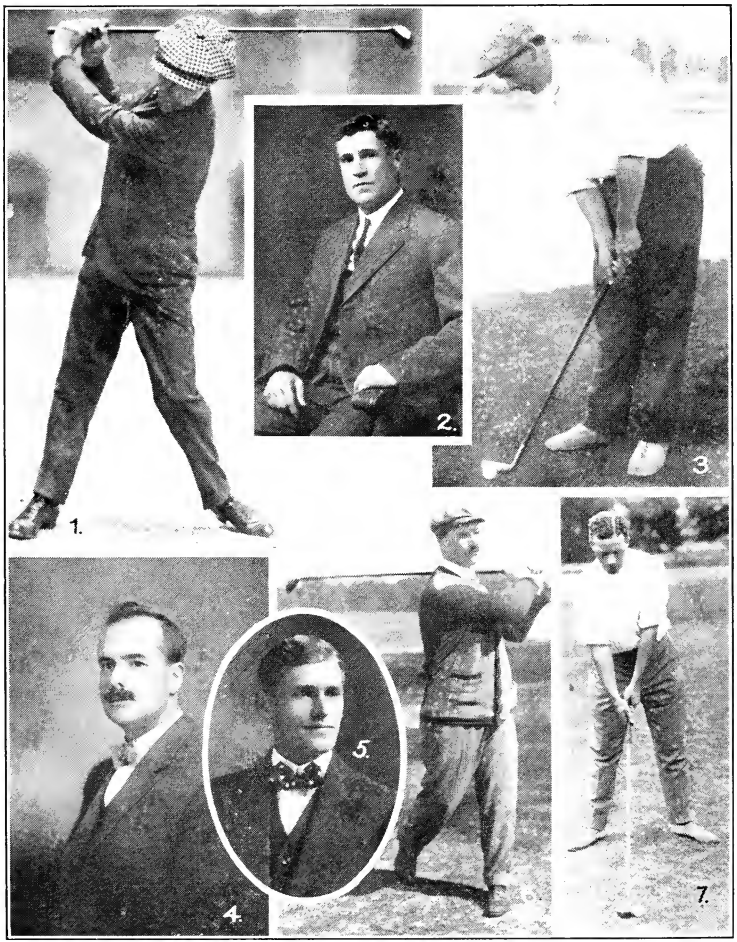

1, James Maiden, Nassau Country Club, Glen Cove, L. I., N. Y.; 2, Val Flood, Professional; 3, Peter Robertson, Yahnundasis Golf Club, Utica, N. Y.; 4, Wm. H. Potts, Professional, Apawamis Club, Rye, N. Y.; 5, W. E. Dunt, Professional, Onondaga Golf Club, Syracuse, N. Y.; 6, Jack Mackie, Dunwoodie Golf Club, Yonkers, N. Y.; 7, Tom Hancock, Elmira (N. Y.) Country Club.

South Shore Field Club, Bay Shore, L. I., N. Y.
Spokane Country Club, Spokane, Wash.
Springhaven Country Club, Wallingford, Pa.
Spring Lake Golf and Country Club, Spring Lake, N. J.
Stamford Country Club, Stamford-in-the-Catskills, N. Y.
Stanton Heights Golf Club, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Stenton Country Club, Philadelphia, Pa.
Stockbridge Golf Club, Stockbridge, Mass.
Storm King Golf Club, Cornwall-on-Hudson, N. Y.
Suburban Club, Elizabeth, N. J.
Sunset Country Club, Coraopolis, Pa.
Sunningdale Country Club, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.
Swope Park Golf Club, Kansas City, Mo.
Taconic Golf Club, Williamstown, Mass.
Tatnuck Country Club, Worcester, Mass.
Tedesco Country Club, Swampscott, Mass.
Tekoa Country Club, Westfield, Mass.
Thornburg Country Club, Thornburg, Pa.
Toledo Country Club, Toledo, O.
Toledo Golf Club, Ottawa Park, Toledo, O.
Trenton Country Club, "Oaklands," Trenton, N. J.
Tuscumbia Golf Club, Green Lake, Wis.
Uniontown Country Club, Uniontown, Pa.
Vesper Country Club, Lowell, Mass.
Virginia Hot Springs Golf and Tennis Club, Hot Springs, Va.
Wanango Country Club, Reno, Pa.
Wannamoisett Country Club, Rumford, R. I.
Washington Country Club, Jewell Station, Va.
Waumbek Golf Club, Jefferson, N. H.
Waverly Golf Club, Portland, Ore.
Wee Burn Golf Club, Noroton, Conn.
Wellesley Country Club, Wellesley Hills, Mass.
Westbrook Golf Club, Great River, L. I., N. Y.
West Chester Golf and Country Club, West Chester, Pa.
Westfield Golf Club, Westfield, N. J.
Westmoreland Country Club, Verona, Pa.
Weston Golf Club, Weston, Mass.
Westwood Golf Club, North Dover Bay, O.
Wheatley Hills Golf Club, East Williston, L. I., N. Y.
Wheaton Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.
Wheeling Country Club, Wheeling, W. Va.
Williamsport Country Club, Williamsport, Pa.
Winchester Country Club, Winchester, Mass.
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Wollaston Golf Club, Montclair, Mass.
Woodbury Country Club, Woodbury, N. J.
Woodhaven Golf Club, Woodhaven, L. I., N. Y.
Woodland Golf Club, Auburndale, Mass.
Woodmere Country Club, Woodmere, L. I.
Woods Hole Golf Club, Falmouth, Mass.
Worcester Golf Club, Worcester, Mass.
Wyantenuck Golf Club, Great Barrington, Mass.
Wyoming Valley Country Club, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
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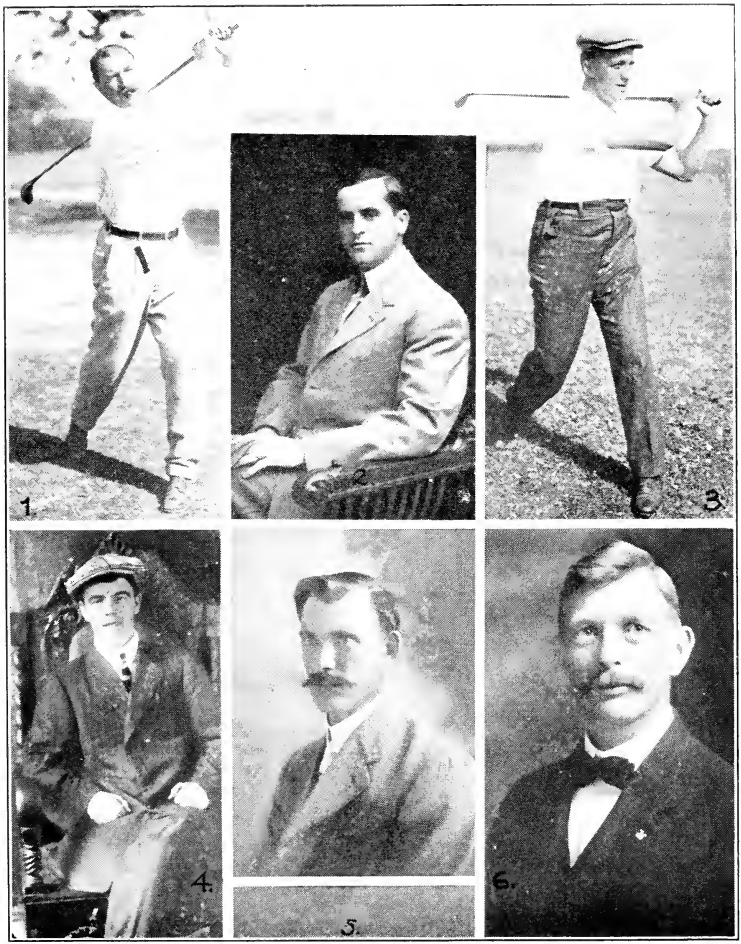


1, Charles Burgess, Professional, Woodland Golf Club, Auburndale, Mass.; 2, C. J. MacGrath, Tatnuck Country Club, Worcester, Mass.; 3, F. E. Rigden, Professional, Springfield (Mass.) Country Club; 4, R. D. Thompson, Port Chester (N. Y.) Country Club; 5, G. F. Sparling, Professional, Brooklawn Country Club, Bridgeport, Conn.; 6, Robert D. Pryde, Professional, Race Brook Country Club, Orange, Conn.

Champions of the United States

Resumé of championships since the introduction of Golf into the United States.

FIRST CHAMPIONSHIP—AMATEUR.

Prior to the U. S. G. A. organization.

Held at Newport (R. I.) Golf Club, September 3, 1894; 20 entries.

W. G. Lawrence, Newport	47	46	49	46—188
C. B. Macdonald, Chicago	46	43	50	50—189
G. McC. Sargent, Essex County	52	49	51	49—201
Victor Sorchan, Newport	50	52	57	53—212
W. W. Watson, Montreal	54	50	59	51—214
H. C. Leeds, Boston	51	55	59	52—217
L. Curtis, Boston	60	52	57	52—221
James Wright	61	64	65	56—246

SECOND CHAMPIONSHIP.

Amateur—Held at the St. Andrews Golf Club, October 11, 12, 13, 1894; won by L. B. Stoddart, St. Andrews, who defeated C. B. Macdonald, Chicago Club, Wheaton, 1 up. Open—Held at the St. Andrews Golf Club, December 11, 1894; won by Willie Dunn, who defeated W. Campbell by 2 up.

UNDER UNITED STATES GOLF ASSOCIATION AUSPICES.

1895—Amateur Championship; held at the Newport Golf Club, Newport, R. I., October 1, 2, 3; won by C. B. Macdonald, Chicago, who defeated C. E. Sands, St. Andrews, 12 and 11. Women's Championship; 13 entries; held at Meadowbrook, November 9; 18 holes medal play; won by Mrs. C. S. Brown, Shinnecock Hills, with a medal score of 132. Open Championship; held at Newport, October 4; 11 entries; 36 holes medal play; won by H. Rawlins, Newport, with a medal score of 173; W. Dunn, Shinnecock, was second with 175.

1896—Amateur Championship; held at the Shinnecock Hills Golf Club, Shinnecock Hills, Long Island, N. Y., July 14, 15, 16, 17; won by H. J. Whigham, Onwentsia, who defeated J. G. Thorp of Cambridge in the finals by 8 and 7. Women's Championship; held at the Morris County Golf Club, Morristown, N. J., October 7, 8, 9; won by Miss Beatrix Hoyt, Shinnecock, who defeated Mr. A. Turnure, Shinnecock, in the finals by 2 and 1. Open Championship; held at Shinnecock Hills Golf Club, Shinnecock Hills, Long Island, N. Y., July 18; won by James Foulis, Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill., with a medal score of 152. Horace Rawlins of Sadaquada was second with 155.

1897—Amateur Championship; held at the Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill., September 14 to 18, inclusive; 58 entries; won by H. J. Whigham, Onwentsia, who defeated W. R. Betts, Shinnecock, in the finals by 8 and 6. Women's Championship; held at the Essex County Club, Manchester, Mass., August 24-26; won by Miss Beatrix Hoyt, Shinnecock, who defeated Miss N. C. Sargeant, Essex County, by 5 and 4. Open Championship; held at Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill., September 17; 35 entries; won by Joe Lloyd, Essex County Club, Massachusetts, with a medal score for 36 holes of 162; Willie Anderson of Watch Hill, R. I., was second with 163.

1, H. Lagerblade, Mahoning Golf Club, Youngstown, Ohio; 2, Harry Schopp, South Grove Golf Club, Indianapolis, Ind.; 3, Lee Nelson, Indianapolis (Ind.) Country Club; 4, C. L. Nelson, Riverside (Ill.) Golf Club; 5, Eighth green at Hotel Hampton Terrace, North Augusta, S. C.; 6, J. R. Inglis driving off at the 2nd tee at the Hampton Terrace course.

1898—Amateur Championship; held at the Morris County Country Club, Morristown, N. J., September 12 to 17, inclusive; 120 entries; resulted in a win for Findlay S. Douglas, who defeated W. B. Smith of Onwentsia by 5 and 3. Women's Championship; held at the Ardsley Club, Ardsley-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., October 11 to 15, inclusive; 61 entries; Miss Beatrix Hoyt, Shinnecock, won from Miss Maud Wetmore, Newport, 5 and 3. Open Championship; held at the Myopia Club, Hamilton, Mass., June 17-18; 72 holes; 49 entries; won by Fred Herd, Washington Park, with a score of 328; Alec Smith of Washington Park being second with 335.

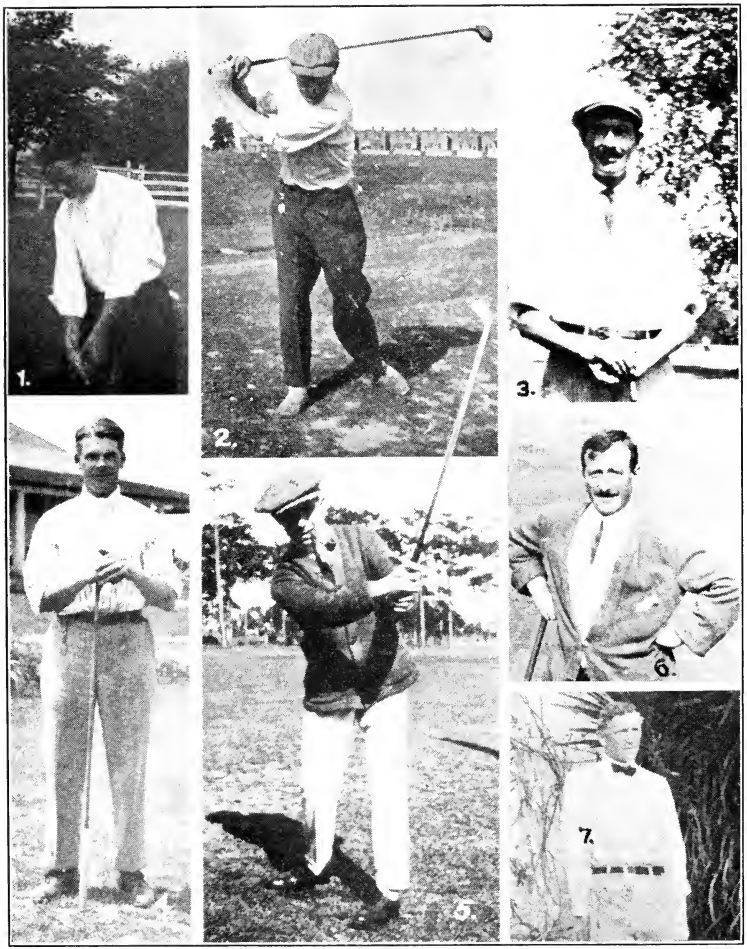
1899—Amateur Championship; held at the Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, July 3 to 8, inclusive; 112 entries; won by Herbert Harriman, Meadowbrook, who defeated Findlay S. Douglas by 3 and 2. Women's Championship; held at the Philadelphia Country Club, Bala, Philadelphia, October 10 to 14, inclusive; 78 entries; won by Miss Ruth Underhill of Nassau, who defeated Mrs. Caleb F. Fox, Huntingdon Valley, 2 up and 1. Open Championship; held at the Baltimore Country Club, Baltimore, Md., September 14, 15; 81 entries; won by Willie Smith, Midlothian, with a total of 315 strokes for the 72 holes; George Low, Dyker Meadow; Val Fitzjohn, Otsego, and W. H. Way, Detroit, tied for second place with 326.

1900—Amateur Championship; held at the Garden City Golf Club, Garden City, N. Y., July 2 to 7, inclusive; 120 entries; won by Walter J. Travis, Garden City, who defeated Findlay S. Douglas in the finals by 2 up. Women's Championship; held at the Shinnecock Hills Golf Club, Shinnecock Hills, L. I., N. Y., August 28 to September 1, inclusive; 62 entries; Miss F. C. Griscom, Merion Cricket Club, defeated Miss Margaret Curtis, Essex County Club, in the finals by 6 and 5. Open Championship; held at the Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill., October 4 and 5; 60 entries; won by Harry Vardon, Ganton, England, with a total of 313 strokes for the 36 holes; J. H. Taylor, Richmond, England, was second, with 315; while David Bell, Midlothian, led the home-bred professionals with 323.

1901—Amateur Championship; held at the Country Club of Atlantic City, Atlantic City, N. J., September 9 to 14, inclusive (the final round was played September 21 instead of September 14 as scheduled, on account of the death of President William McKinley); 142 entries; won by Walter J. Travis, Garden City, who defeated Walter Egan of Exmoor Country Club, by 5 and 4. Women's Championship; held at the Baltusrol Golf Club, Springfield, N. J., October 8 to 12, inclusive; 84 entries; won by Miss Genevieve Hecker, Apawamis, who defeated Miss Lucy Herron of Cincinnati by 5 and 3. Open Championship; held at the Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass., June 14 and 15; 60 entries; Willie Anderson of Pittsfield, Mass., and Alec Smith of Washington Park, Chicago, tied for first place with 331 strokes for the 72 holes; on the play-off Anderson won by one stroke. Willie Smith of Midlothian was third with 323.

1902—Amateur Championship; held at the Glenview Club, Golf, Ill., July 15 to 19, inclusive; 157 entries; won by Louis James of the Glenview Club, who defeated E. M. Byers of the Allegheny Country Club by 4 and 2. Women's Championship; held at the Country Club, Brookline, Mass., September 30 to October 4, inclusive; 96 entries; won by Miss Genevieve Hecker, Apawamis, who defeated Miss L. A. Wells at Brookline in the finals by 4 and 3. Open Championship; held at the Garden City Golf Club, Garden City, N. Y., October 10-11; 90 entries; won by Lawrence Auchterlonie of the Glenview Club, Chicago, with a total of 307 for 72 holes; Stewart Gardner of Garden City tied with Mr. Walter J. Travis of Garden City for second place, with a total of 313; Willie Smith of Chicago, with 316, was fourth.

1903—Amateur Championship; held at Nassau Country Club, September 1 to 5, inclusive; all match play; 140 entries; Walter J. Travis of Garden



1, Stewart McEwan, Harrisburg Park Golf Club, Harrisburg, Pa.; 2, T. J. Dinan, Harrisburg Country Club, Dauphin County, Pa.; 3, Henry Govan, Bon Air Country Club, Manoa, Pa.; 4, Dave McKay, Bellevue (Pa.) Country Club; 5, Jack Dingwall, Pittsburgh, Pa.; 6, Dave Cuthbert, Huntingdon Valley Country Club, Abington, Pa.; 7, Jack Hutchinson, Allegheny Country Club, Sewickley, Pa.

City won, defeating E. M. Byers of Allegheny in the finals by 5 and 4. Women's Championship; held at the Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill., September 29 to October 3, inclusive; 64 entries; won by Miss Bessie Anthony of Glenview, who defeated Miss J. A. Carpenter, Westward Ho, by 7 and 6. Open Championship; held at the Baltusrol Golf Club, Springfield, N. J., June 26-27; 89 entries; won by Willie Anderson of Apawamis after a tie with David Brown of Wollaston, both registering 307 for 72 holes; in the play-off Anderson had 82 to Brown's 84; Stewart Gardner of Garden City was third with 315.

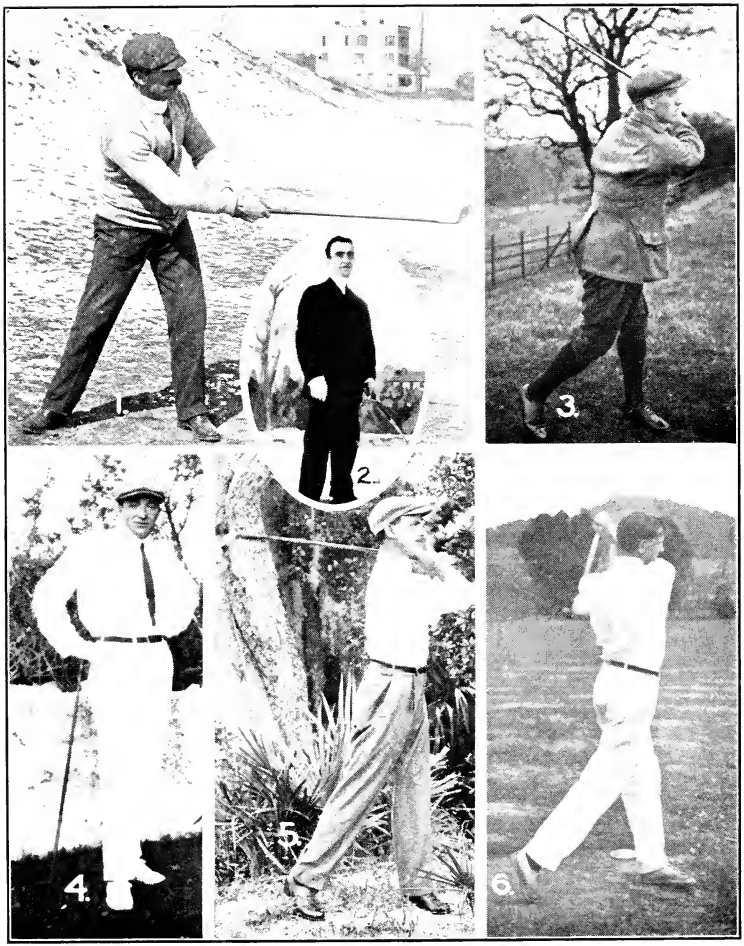
1904—Amateur Championship; held at the Baltusrol Golf Club, Springfield, N. J., September 6 to 10, inclusive; 142 entries; won by H. Chandler Egan of Exmoor Country Club, who defeated Fred Herreshoff, Ekwanok, 8 and 6 in the finals. Women's Championship; held at the Merion Cricket Club, Haverford, Pa., October 10 to 15, inclusive; 86 entries; won by Miss Georgiana Bishop of Brooklawn, who defeated Mrs. Sanford, Essex County Country Club by 5 and 3. Open Championship; held at the Glenview Club, Golf, Ill., July 8-9; 71 entries; won by Willie Anderson of Apawamis, with a total of 303; Gilbert Nichols, St. Louis Country Club, was second with 308; while Fred McKenzie of Onwentsia was third, with 309.

1905—Amateur Championship; held at the Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, August 8 to 12, inclusive; 146 entries; won by H. Chandler Egan of Exmoor Country Club, who defeated D. E. Sawyer, Wheaton Golf Club by 6 and 5. Women's Championship; held at the Morris County Golf Club, Convent, N. J., October 9 to 14, inclusive; 69 entries; won by Miss Pauline Mackey, Oakley, who defeated Miss Curtis 1 up. Open Championship; held at the Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass., September 21-22; 83 entries; won by Willie Anderson, Apawamis, with a total for 72 holes of 314; Alec Smith, Nassau, second, 316; Peter Robertson, Oakmont, third, 317; as also was Percy F. Barrett, Lambton Country Club, Canada.

1906—Amateur Championship; held at the Englewood Golf Club, Englewood, N. J., July 10 to 14, inclusive; 141 entries; won by E. M. Byers, Allegheny, who defeated George S. Lyon, Toronto, Canada, in the finals by 2 up. Women's Championship; held at the Braeburn Country Club, West Newton, Mass., October 8 to 13, inclusive; 75 entries; won by Miss H. S. Curtis, Essex County, who defeated Miss Molly Adams of Wollaston by 2 and 1. Open Championship; held at the Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill., June 28-29; 68 entries; won by Alec Smith, Nassau, total 295; Willie Smith, Mexico, second, 302; Lawrence Auchterlonie, Glenview, and James Maiden, Toledo, Ohio, tied for third place, 305.

1907—Amateur Championship; held at the Euclid Club, Cleveland, O., July 9 to 13, inclusive; won by J. D. Travers, Montclair Golf Club, who defeated Archibald Graham, North Jersey Country Club, in the finals by 6 and 5. Women's Championship; held at the Midlothian Country Club, Blue Island, Ill., October 7 to 12, inclusive; 87 entries; won by Miss M. Curtis, who defeated her sister, Miss H. Curtis, by 7 and 6 in the finals. Open Championship; held at the Philadelphia Cricket Club, Philadelphia, Pa., June 20 and 21; 82 entries; won by Alec Ross, Braeburn, 302; Gilbert Nicholls, Woodland, 304, second; Alec Campbell, the Country Club, 305, third.

1908—Amateur Championship; held at Garden City Golf Club, L. I., September 14 to 19, inclusive; 131 starters; won by Jerome D. Travers, Montclair Golf Club, who defeated Max Behr, Morris County, 8 up and 7 to play. Women's Championship; held at the Chevy Chase Club, Washington, D. C., October 19 to 24, inclusive; 38 starters; won by Miss Harly, Fall River, who defeated Mrs. Polhemus in the finals by 6 and 5. Open Championship; held at Myopia Hunt Club, Mass., August 27-28; 81 entries; won by Fred McLeod, Midlothian, with a score of 322 for 72 holes after a tie with W. W. Smith, Mexico; A. Smith, Nassau, was third.



1, J. G. Jones, Hollywood Golf Club, Deal, N. J.; 2, Alfred Campbell, Oak Hill Country Club, Rochester, N. Y.; 3, Tom Skipper, Huntington Country Club, Huntington, L. I., N. Y.; 4, James C. Ferguson, Spring Lake (N. J.) Golf and Country Club; 5, C. J. Smith, Tampa (Fla.) Auto and Golf Club; 6, Hermon B. Shute, Westmoreland Country Club, Huntington, W. Va.

1909—Amateur Championship; held at Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill., September 6 to 11, inclusive; 100 entries; won by Robert Gardner, Hinsdale, who defeated H. C. Egan in the finals, 4 up and 2 to play. Women's Championship; held at the Merion Cricket Club, Haverford, Pa., October 4 to 9, inclusive, 70 entries; won by Miss Campbell of Great Britain, who defeated Mrs. Barlow of Philadelphia in the finals by 3 and 2. Open Championship; held at the Englewood Golf Club, Englewood, N. J., June 24-25, inclusive; 84 entries; won by George Sargent, Hyde Manor Golf Club, Sudbury, Vermont, with a score of 290 for 72 holes; Tom McNamara of Wollaston, Mass., was second, with 294; Alec Smith, Wykagyl, third, 295.

1910—Amateur Championship; held at the Brookline Country Club, Brookline, Mass., September 12 to 17, inclusive; 214 entries; won by William C. Fownes, Jr., Oakmont, who defeated Warren K. Wood in the finals by 4 and 3. Women's Championship; held at the Homewood Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill., October 10 to 15, inclusive; 52 teed off; won by Miss Dorothy Campbell, Hamilton, Can., who defeated Mrs. G. M. Martin, 2 and 1. Open Championship; held at the Philadelphia Cricket Club, Philadelphia, Pa., June 17 and 18; Alec Smith, Wykagyl; Macdonald Smith, Claremont, Col., and J. J. McDermott, Merchantville, tied at 298. In the play-off A. Smith won with 71; McDermott, 75, second, and Macdonald Smith, 77, third.

1911—Amateur Championship; held at Apawamis Country Club, Rye, N. Y., September 11 to 16, inclusive; 86 entries; won by Harold Hilton, Royal Liverpool Golf Club, who defeated Fred Herreshoff, Ekwanok, 1 up (37 holes). Women's Championship; held at the Baltusrol Golf Club, Springfield, N. J., October 9 to 14, inclusive; 18 entries; won by Miss Margaret Curtis, Boston, Mass., who defeated Miss Lillian Hyde, South Shore Field Club, by 5 and 3. Open Championship; held at Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill., June 23 and 24; J. J. McDermott, Atlantic City, 153, 154—307; M. J. Brady, Wollaston, 153, 154—307, and George O. Simpson, Wheaton, 153, 154—307, all tied; on the play off at 18 holes McDermott was first, with 80; Brady, 82, second; Simpson, 86, third.

1912—Amateur Championship; held at Chicago Golf Club, September 2 to 7, inclusive; won by Jerome Travers, Upper Montclair, who defeated Charles Evans, Jr., in the finals, 7 and 6. Women's Championship; held at the Essex County Club, Manchester, Mass.; won by Miss Margaret Curtis, Boston, Mass., who defeated Mrs. R. H. Barlow by 3 and 2. Open Championship; held at Buffalo Country Club, Buffalo, N. Y.; won by J. J. McDermott, Atlantic City, 149, 145—294; T. McNamara, Boston, 154, 142—296, second; Alec Smith, Wykagyl, 147, 152—299, third.

1913—Amateur Championship; held at Garden City, L. I. Won by Jerome Travers, Upper Montclair, who defeated J. G. Anderson, Brae Burn, by 5 and 4. 145 players started. Chick Evans was the medallist, with 148. Women's Championship; held at the Wilmington Country Club, Wilmington, Del., was won by Miss Gladys Ravenscroft of England, who defeated Miss Marion Hollins of Westbrook in the finals by 2 up. Miss Ravenscroft was the medallist also, her score being 88. Open Championship; held at the Country Club of Brookline, Mass., and was won by Francis Ouimet, after a tie with the English champions, Vardon and Ray, by 3 and 4.

1, Tom Clark; 2, "Marty" O'Loughlin, Plainfield (N. J.) Country Club; 3, Wm. Collins, Oakland Golf Club, Bay Side, L. I., N. Y.; 4, B. A. Conroy, North Jersey Country Club, Paterson, N. J.; 5, A. G. Elphick, Shawnee (Pa.) Country Club; 6, Bert Battell, Flushing Country Club, Flushing, L. I., N. Y.; 7, Wm. Macfarlane, Suburban Club, Baltimore, Md., Metropolitan Open Runner-up, 1914; 8, Louis Tellier, Canoe Brook Country Club, Summit, N. J.; 9, Herbert Martin, Quogue Field Club, Quogue, L. I., N. Y.

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held over the golf course of the Ekwanok Golf Club, Manchester, Vt., September 5.

All the golfing stars of the country were gathered at Ekwanok for the Twentieth Amateur Golf Championship of the United States last year, and it was the belief among those who knew that the winner would have to be a topnotcher to go through such a classy field. W. C. Fownes started the ball a-rolling on the first day with a record-breaking 70, gathered by sterling golf—just paving the way for what the dopesters had said. His second round on the day following was four shots worse, but sufficient for him to lead the field in company with R. R. Gorton of Brae Burn, who had compiled a couple of 72's (on the play-off Fownes won rather handily, 77 against 83). Just a stroke behind came Francis Ouimet, who had shown considerable steadiness with 145, while the redoubtable "Chick" was off behind some six strokes worse with 151. He never got into his stride, for in his first match, which unfortunately was at 18 holes, he succumbed to that sterling golfer, Eben Byers, on the last hole. Ouimet's steadiness never forsook him and he ultimately proved the winner over Jerry Travers by 6 and 5. His stiffest match was with the medalist W. C. Fownes, Jr., whom he defeated by only 1 up. It looked as if Fownes was to be the victor at one time, notably at the sixteenth hole on the last round, but, nothing daunted, Ouimet, who though 1 and 2 went after his man full tilt and, getting the last two holes in fours to his opponent's fives finished 1 up. Summary:

Qualifiers—W. C. Fownes, Jr., Oakmont, 70, 74—144; R. R. Gorton, Brae Burn, 72, 72—144; Francis Ouimet, Woodland, 73, 72—145; F. Herreshoff, Ekwanok, 73, 74—147; D. C. Corkran, Baltimore, 73, 76—149; J. B. Schlottman, Detroit, 73, 77—150; Charles Evans, Jr., Chicago, 74, 77—151; J. D. Travers, Upper Montclair, 76, 77—153; J. G. Anderson, Brae Burn, 75, 78—153; E. P. Allis, 3d, Milwaukee, 78, 75—153; William Howland, Jr., Chicago, 79, 74—153; E. M. Byers, Allegheny, 78, 75—153; R. M. Lewis, Ridgefield, 76, 78—154; Roy D. Webb, Englewood, 79, 76—155; S. K. Sterne, Tatnuck, 79, 76—155; E. M. Barnes, Englewood, 77, 79—156; G. W. White, Flushing, 78, 79—157; R. S. Worthington, Shawnee, 79, 79—158; W. J. Travis, Garden City, 83, 75—158; B. W. Corkran, Baltimore, 80, 78—158; Harold Weber, Toledo, 80, 78—158; Louis Jacoby, Dallas, 78, 81—159; M. R. Marston, Baltusrol, 79, 80—159; A. F. Kammer, Fox Hills, 81, 78—159; Jesse Guilford, Intervale, 75, 85—160; H. K. Kerr, South Shore, 80, 81—161; R. A. Gardner, Hinsdale, 84, 77—161; R. W. Brown, Meadow Brook, 84, 77—161; W. P. Seeley, Brooklawn, 82, 79—161; W. H. Cady, Brae Burn, 82, 79—161; J. N. Stearns, 3d, Princeton, 80, 81—161; F. A. Martin, Ekwanok, 81, 81—162.

First round of match play (18 holes)—Walter J. Travis, Garden City, d. R. S. Worthington, Shawnee, 7 and 6; H. K. Kerr, Ekwanok, d. Harold Weber, Toledo, 4 and 2; Roy D. Webb, Englewood, d. J. G. Anderson, Brae Burn, 1 up; J. D. Guilford, Intervale, d. Fred Herreshoff, Ekwanok, 3 and 1; E. M. Byers, Allegheny, d. Charles Evans, Jr., Edgewater, 1 up; Jerome D. Travers, Upper Montclair, d. J. B. Schlottman, Detroit, 2 and 1; A. F. Kammer, Fox Hills, d. R. W. Brown, Meadowbrook, 7 and 6; W. P. Seeley, Brooklawn, d. W. H. Cady, Brae Burn, 1 up, 20 holes; J. N. Stearns, 3d, Princeton, d. E. P. Allis, 3d, Milwaukee, 5 and 4; R. R. Gorton, Brae Burn, d. S. K. Sterne, Tatnuck, 1 up; R. M. Lewis, Ridgefield, d. B. Warren Corkran, Baltimore, 1 up, 19 holes; W. C. Fownes, Jr., Oakmont, d. G. W. White, Flushing, 3 and 2; R. A. Gardner, Hinsdale, d. Louis Jacoby, Dallas, 4 and 3; F. A. Martin, Ekwanok, d. E. M. Barnes, Englewood, 3 and 2; W. I. Howland, Jr., Chicago, d. D. Clark Corkran, Baltimore, 1 up; Francis Ouimet, Woodland, d. M. R. Marston, Baltusrol, 1 up.

Second round match play (36 holes)—Walter J. Travis, Garden City, d. Hamilton K. Kerr, Ekwanok, 4 and 3; Roy D. Webb, Englewood, d. Jesse D. Guilford, Intervale, 1 up; Jerome D. Travers, Upper Montclair, d. Eben M. Byers, 5 and 4; W. P. Seeley, Allegheny, d. A. F. Kammer, Fox Hills, 3 and 2; Ray R. Gorton, Brae Burn, d. J. N. Stearns, 3d, Princeton, 2 up; W. C. Fownes, Jr., Oakmont, d. Reginald M. Lewis, Ridgefield, 6 and 5; Robert A. Gardner, Hinsdale, d. F. A. Martin, Ekwanok, 4 and 3; Francis Ouimet, Woodland, d. W. I. Howland, Jr., Chicago, 4 and 3.

Third round (36 holes)—Walter J. Travis, Garden City, d. Roy Webb, Englewood, 1 up, 37 holes; Jerome D. Travers, Upper Montclair, d. W. R. Seeley, Brooklawn, 6 and 5; W. C. Fownes, Jr., Oakmont, d. R. R. Gorton, Brae Burn, 1 up, 37 holes; Francis Ouimet, Woodland, d. Robert A. Gardner, Hinsdale, 9 and 7.

Fourth round (36 holes)—Ouimet d. Fownes, 1 up; Travers d. Travis, 5 and 3.

Final round—Ouimet d. Travers, 6 and 5.

TOM McNAMARA,
Metropolitan Open Ex-Champion.

WOMEN'S NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held on the course of the Nassau Country Club, Glen Cove, L. I., September 19 to 24.

A field of 91 starters teed off for the major event of the year, and the class of golf played was evidenced from the fact that the highest qualifying score to gain the coveted 32 was 96, while in previous years over 100 was always sure of a place. The medallist was Miss Georgianna Bishop of Brooklawn, who handed in a score of 85, a splendid performance. The title-holder was a couple of strokes behind with 87. The other semi-finalist, Miss Elaine V. Rosenthal of Ravisloe, just managed to squeeze in, as there were no less than four tied for the last three places. The result of the tie was that Mrs. F. B. Ryan of Cranford had to drop out. The fortunate qualifiers were:

Miss Georgianna M. Bishop, Brooklawn, 46, 39—85; Mrs. H. Arnold Jackson, Oakley, 44, 43—87; Miss M. A. Irving, Richmond County, 46, 42—88; Miss Lillian B. Hyde, South Shore, 44, 44—88; Mrs. Ronald H. Barlow, Merion, 41, 49—90; Miss Bertha A. Stratton, Cranford, 42, 48—90; Miss Marion Hollins, Westbrook, 44, 46—90; Mrs. Isaac Harter, Richmond County, 46, 44—90; Miss Louise Swabacker, Ravisloe, 46, 45—91; Miss Margaret Curtis, Essex County, 43, 48—91; Miss Caroline Painter, Midlothian, 45, 46—91; Mrs. Clarence Vanderbeck, Philadelphia Cricket, 43, 48—91; Miss Frances C. Griscom, Merion, 45, 46—91; Mrs. E. M. Steedman, St. Louis, 48, 44—92; Miss Fanny C. Osgood, Brookline, 44, 48—92; Mrs. A. C. Sumner, Nassau, 46, 46—92; Miss Alexa Sterling, Atlanta, 46, 47—93; Mrs. J. L. Davis, Nassau, 47, 46—93; Mrs. Thurston Wright, Allegheny, 46, 47—93; Mrs. E. W. Daley, Oakley, 48, 46—94; Miss H. F. Curtis, Essex County, 48, 46—94; Mrs. C. F. Fox, Huntingdon Valley, 47, 47—94; Mrs. E. H. Fitler, Merion, 47, 47—94; Miss Grace Semple, St. Louis, 43, 51—94; Miss E. M. Allen, Oakley, 48, 46—94; Miss C. C. Robertson, Bellport, 49, 46—95; Mrs. H. R. Stockton, Plainfield, 46, 49—95; Miss Ethel M. Campbell, Overbrook, 49, 46—95; Mrs. H. C. Phipps, Piping Rock, 46, 49—95; Miss Elaine V. Rosenthal, Ravisloe, 50, 46—96; Mrs. G. M. Heckscher, Piping Rock, 48, 48—96; Miss Florence McNeely, Merion, 49, 47—96.

MATCH-PLAY ROUNDS.

First round—Mrs. H. Arnold Jackson, Oakley, d. Miss Harriet F. Curtis, Essex County, 2 and 1; Miss E. W. Allen, Oakley, d. Miss F. C. Griscom, Philadelphia, 3 and 2; Mrs. H. R. Stockton, Plainfield, d. Mrs. C. F. Fox, Huntingdon Valley, 1 up, 20 holes; Miss Caroline Painter, Midlothian, d. Mrs. E. H. Fitler, Philadelphia, 1 up; Miss C. C. Robertson, Bellport, d. Mrs. Thurston Wright, Allegheny, 1 up; Mrs. C. H. Vanderbeck, Philadelphia, d. Miss Fanny Osgood, Brookline, 5 and 4; Mrs. E. W. Daley, Oakley, d. Mrs. G. M. Heckscher, Piping Rock, 4 and 2; Miss Ethel M. Campbell, Overbrook, d. Miss M. A. Irving, Richmond County, 8 and 6; Miss Elaine V. Rosenthal, Ravisloe, d. Mrs. H. C. Phipps, Piping Rock, 6 and 5; Miss Georgianna M. Bishop, Brooklawn, d. Miss Alexa Sterling, Atlanta, 2 and 1; Miss Florence McNeely, Merion, d. Mrs. G. N. Sumner, Nassau, 1 up; Mrs. E. H. Stedman, St. Louis, d. Miss Grace Semple, St. Louis, 3 and 2; Mrs. Isaac Harter, Richmond County, d. Miss Bertha A. Stratton Cranford, 1 up, 19 holes; Mrs. R. H. Barlow, Philadelphia, d. Miss Margaret Curtis, Essex County, 1 up, 19 holes; Miss Lillian B. Hyde, South Shore, d. Miss Marion Hollins, Westbrook, 4 and 3; Mrs. J. E. Davis, Nassau, d. Miss Louise Swabacker, Ravisloe, 2 and 1.

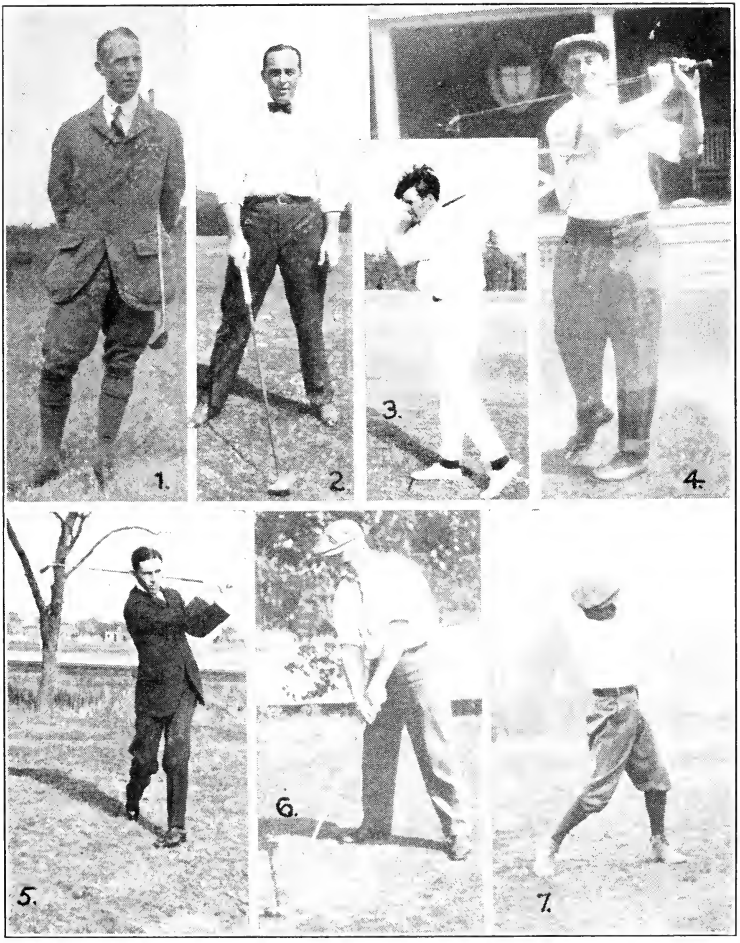
Second round—Mrs. Jackson d. Miss Allen, 3 and 2; Miss Painter d. Mrs. Stockton, 3 and 1; Mrs. Vanderbeck d. Miss Robertson, 7 and 6; Miss Campbell d. Mrs. Daley, 2 and 1; Miss Rosenthal d. Miss Bishop, 6 and 5; Miss Neely won from Mrs. Stedman by default; Mrs. Barlow d. Miss Harter, 6 and 5; Miss Hyde d. Mrs. Davis, 7 and 6.

Third round—Mrs. Jackson d. Miss Painter, 4 and 2; Mrs. Vanderbeck d. Miss Campbell, 2 and 1; Miss Rosenthal d. Miss Neely, 1 up, 19 holes; Mrs. Barlow d. Miss Hyde, 1 up.

Semi-final round—Mrs. Jackson d. Mrs. Vanderbeck, 2 and 1; Miss Rosenthal d. Mrs. Barlow, 1 up.

Final round—Mrs. Jackson d. Miss Rosenthal, 1 up.

Several side events were held during the meeting. In the bogey competition a tie resulted between Miss Louise Elkins, Oakmont; Miss Bertha A. Stratton, Cranford, and Miss Georgianna M. Bishop, Brooklawn, Miss Elkins, with the aid of her handicap, winning by 1 up. In this triangular competition Miss Bishop made a new women's record for the course with 40, 41—81.



1, Gordon Smith, Norwood Golf Club, Long Branch, N. J.; 2, Eugene Reilly, Country Club of Waterbury, Waterbury, Conn.; 3, Channing Floyd, Yountakah Country Club, Nutley, N. J.; 4, C. W. Singleton, Siwanoy Country Club, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; 5, Bayard Beebe, Long Branch, N. J.; 6, W. Scott, Mountain Ridge Country Club, West Orange, N. J.; 7, Harry Vinall, Tuxedo (N. Y.) Golf Club.

The driving competition was won by Miss Marion Hollins, with drives of 228, 218 and 218 yards.

Mrs. J. A. Moore, Scarsdale, with a score of 18, won the approaching and putting competition.

In the four-ball competition Miss Frances C. Griscom and Miss Georgianna Bishop led the field with a best-ball score of 78.

Miss Bishop, who, the day before, had established a new women's record for the course with an 81, further reduced this to 79, this being her own individual score in the four-ball match. Appended is Miss Bishop's score:

Out.....	5	5	4	4	4	5	5	3	4—39
In.....	3	6	3	6	4	5	4	4	5—40—79

In the mixed foursome competition on the final day there was a tie for first place between Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Fitler, whose scores respectively were 84—17, 67 and 79—12, 67. The best gross score was returned by Miss Marion Hollins and her brother, McKim Hollins, with a 76. Next came Miss Lillian B. Hyde and her brother, James R. Hyde, with a 78, Mrs. H. F. Whitney and Archie M. Reid being next with a 79.

NATIONAL OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Midlothian Country Club, Midlothian, Ill., August 18 to 25.

As Ebert B. Dunsworth wrote, "America first" was the slogan at the finish of the National Open Championship at Midlothian when Walter Hagen, a 22-year-old Rochester product, finished first in a remarkably classy field of English, Scotch and Irish pro's, supplemented by a number of the crack amateurs of the country.

Hagen won the title in a memorable race with Charles Evans, Jr., the Chicago amateur record-smasher. "Chick" was eight strokes behind his eastern rival at the start of the final round. He shot a 71 in the morning and cut Hagen's lead to four strokes, the Rochester star taking 75. In the afternoon Evans went out in 35, while Hagen needed 38, and only one stroke stood between the title contenders.

Coming home a gallery of 1,500 people, including many of the noted players who had finished their rounds, swept along with first one player and then the other, as they were but two holes apart. They cheered and gasped by turns as first Hagen and then Evans caught up a stroke.

"Chick" never succeeded in heading the boy from Rochester. Hagen held a two-stroke advantage at the twelfth. It was "Chick's" play on this green that cost him the chance to tie or even win the championship. His pitch was forty-five feet below the flag on the tricky ribbed green. He ran the long approach putt up four feet short and then lipped the cup, taking four.

Hagen clinched the national crown at the home green by getting an amazing three. He pulled his drive badly into the long grass below the ninth green. This shot alone would have broken the nerve of a veteran in so close a race. But Walter made a wonderful pitch onto the sloping green. He was then confronted by an eight-foot putt. He walked over, got the line in one glance, and sent it down.

Evans on coming to the eighteenth hole of the last round had a two to tie, but as it is something like 280 yards, it seemed like calling for the impossible. However, "Chick" was game and he gave the ball the chance. His drive dropped short, but had plenty of spin and ran onto the lower edge of the inclined green. He was thirty-five feet below the cup and knew that the next shot was to be decisive. "It looks a long way off," Evans said partly to himself and partly to the great crowd massed tightly around the green. He got the line carefully, chose a half mashie and ran the ball up exactly even with the hole, but eight inches to the left, thus ending his chances for another year.

Besides receiving the great silver United States Golf Association open championship cup, Hagen won a gold medal emblematic of the title and was presented with a check for $300 by President Robert C. Watson. As runner-up Evans obtained a silver cup valued at $150. Third and fourth money was divided by the two former national champions, George Sargent, the

1. Macdonald Smith, New Rochelle, N. Y., Metropolitan Open Champion; 2, Alec Smith, Wykagyl Country Club, New Rochelle, N. Y.

Chevy Chase "pro," and Freddie McLeod of the Columbia Golf Club, Washington, D. C. Strange to say, they finished in a tie at 151 on the first day, and ran a dead heat the next day as well, getting 146 for totals of 297. They divided $180.

Francis Ouimet, the only amateur who ever won the open title, was clustered with Jim Donaldson, the husky driver of Glen View, and "Mike" Brady of Wollaston, at 298, for fifth, sixth and seventh places. Checks for $60 went to Donaldson and Brady, while Ouimet got the equivalent in plate. Louis Tellier, the diminutive Frenchman, was eighth with 299, getting $40, while Jack McDermott, western open champion, and Arthur Smith of Columbus split the ninth and tenth purses with scores of 300. They each received $25.

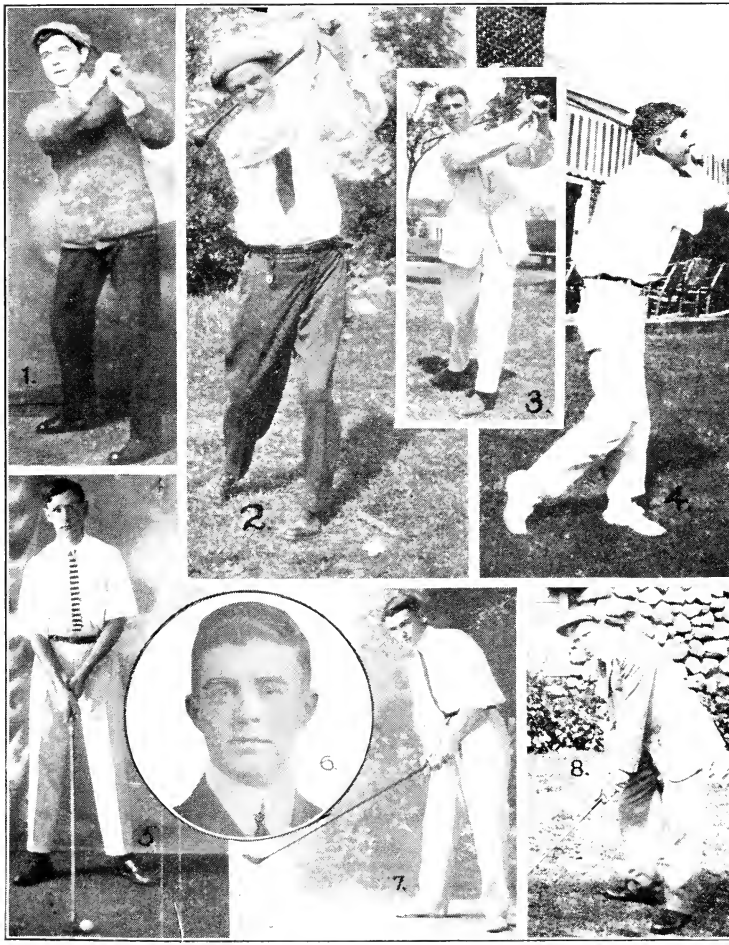
Final scores of the players who completed the 72-hole championship round follow:

PRIZE WINNERS.	1st	2d	Total
W. C. Hagen, Rochester, N. Y.	142	148	290
*Charles Evans, Jr., Edgewater	150	141	291
George Sargent, Chevy Chase	151	146	297
Fred McLeod, Columbia	151	146	297
M. J. Brady, Wollaston	150	148	298
James Donaldson, Glen View	151	147	298
*Francis Ouimet, Woodland	145	153	298
Louis Tellier, Canoe Brook	147	152	299
J. J. McDermott, Atlantic City	151	149	300
Arthur Smith, Columbus, Ohio	152	148	300

ADDITIONAL SCORES.

*Wm. Rautenbusch, Garfield Park	151	150	301
James Simpson, Milwaukee	147	154	301
Joe Mitchell, Upper Montclair	146	156	302
James M. Barnes, Whitemarsh Valley	149	153	302
J. J. O'Brien, Mansfield, Ohio	146	156	302
Tom McNamara, Boston	143	159	302
C. H. Hoffner, Atlantic City	153	149	302
Bob Peebles, Topeka, Kan	153	149	302
George Simpson, Omaha	149	153	302
Dan Kenny, Olean, N. Y	151	152	303
Tom Kerrigan, Dedham, Mass	149	154	303
*Warren K. Wood, Flossmoor	150	155	305
Alex Ross, Brae Burn	147	158	305
Walter G. Fovargue, Skokie	152	154	306
R. M. Thompson, Glen Ridge, N. J	154	153	307
Jack Munro, Newark, Ohio	157	150	307
Otto Hackbarth, Hinsdale	157	152	309
C. P. Nelson, Indianapolis	158	152	310
Jack Burke, Port Arthur, Canada	152	158	310
Fred Brand, Pittsburgh	152	158	310
Tom Vardon, Onventsia	152	159	311
W. J. Bell, Toronto	158	154	312
*Kenneth Edwards, Midlothian	153	159	312
H. G. Lagerblade, Youngstown, Ohio	153	159	312
Alex Taylor, Ravisloe	157	156	313
William Kidd, Algonquin	157	156	313
Jack Jolly, Arlington, N. J	158	157	315
C. W. Hall, Birmingham, Ala	153	162	315
*Jack Neville, Claremont	155	161	316
George Cumming, Toronto	158	158	316
Dan McKay, Pittsburgh	159	158	317
John Gatherum, Ridgemoor	155	162	317
Andrew Campbell, Springhaven	163	155	318
J. C. Hackbarth, Midlothian	157	162	319
Jack Croke, Calumet	160	160	320
Willie Maguire, Houston	157	163	320
A. G. Herr, Lincoln, Neb	158	162	320
J. C. Green, Hot Springs, Va	161	161	322
Frank Adams, French Lick	161	164	325
J. R. Thomson, Philadelphia	158	167	325

* Amateur.



1, John Walker, Owasco Country Club, Auburn, N. Y.; 2, R. McDonald, Saegkill Golf Club, Yonkers, N. Y.; 3, Ralph Thomas, Framingham (Mass.) Country Club; 4, Walter Beckett, Hermitage Golf Club, Richmond, Va.; 5, James Roche, Elkridge Hunt Club, Woodbrook, Md.; 6, Emmett French, York (Pa.) Country Club; 7, James B. Hackney, Aronimink Country Club, Drexel Hill, Pa.; 8, Tom Patterson, Knollwood Country Club, White Plains, N. Y.

U. S. G. A. Handicap List

For the second year in succession Francis Ouimet and Jerome D. Travers share the honor of being rated at scratch on the national handicap list. The present amateur champion and the four-times holder of the title are bracketed together on the scratch mark at the top of the 1915 list. Third on the list, rated at 1, is Charles Evans, Jr., and he, too, retains the position that he held last year. In fact there are few changes on the list until the fourth division is reached. The two Pittsburgh golfers, E. M. Byers and W. C. Fownes, Jr., have been promoted from 3 to 2, and share the latter mark with Walter J. Travis and Warren K. Wood, who were 2 men a year ago, with John G. Anderson as their sole companion. Anderson has been set back to the 3 mark.

There are twelve golfers rated at 3, nine of whom were there last year, the newcomers being Anderson from the 2 mark and E. P. Allis, 3d, and J. B. Schlotman from the 4 division. The 3 men are E. P. Allis, 3d, J. G. Anderson, B. Warren Corkran, H. Chandler Egan, Robert A. Gardner, R. R. Gorton, Oswald Kirkby, Fred Herreshoff, Mason Phelps, J. B. Shlotman, Albert Seckel and Parker W. Whittemore.

An even fifty golfers receive ratings of 4 and the 5 division on the new list contains 202 names. The entire list includes the names of 271 golfers, and under the by-laws of the United States Golf Association they alone are eligible to play in the national championship at Detroit in September. The usual provision is made, however, for adding to the list up to August 1 the names of golfers who prove their right to be rated in the manner prescribed by the U. S. G. A.

The 1914 list when first issued contained 227 names and about thirty were added during the summer, so if the increase is about the same this year there will be about 300 eligibles for the national title by the time the golfers gather at Detroit.

SCRATCH.

Francis Ouimet. J. D. Travers.

HANDICAP 1.

Charles Evans, Jr.

HANDICAP 2.

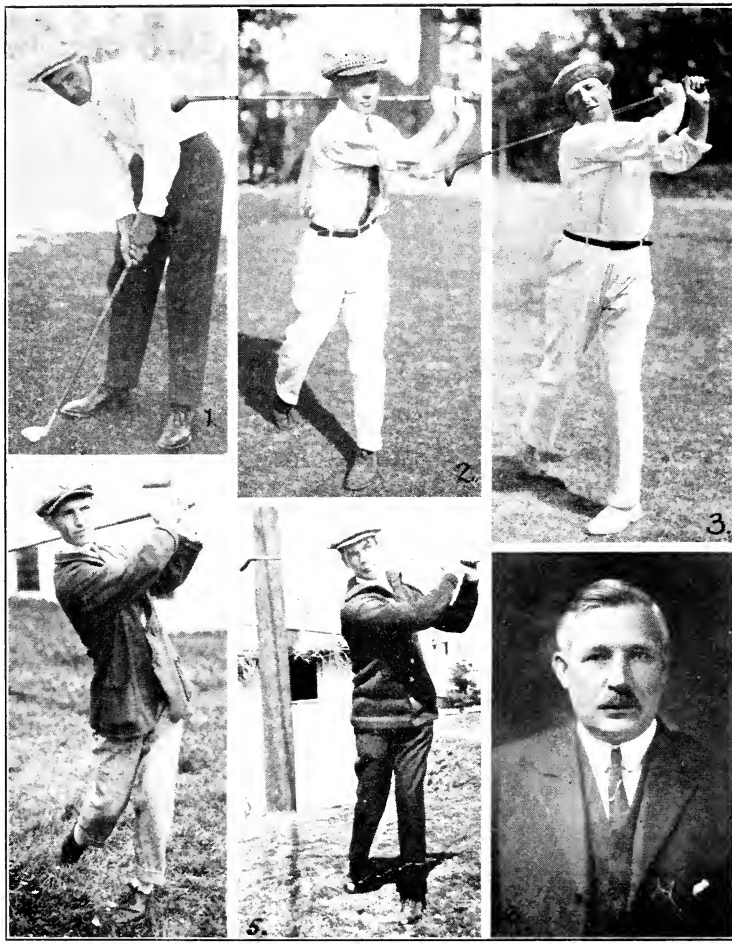
E. M. Byers. W. C. Fownes, Jr. W. J. Travis. W. K. Wood.

HANDICAP 3.

E. P. Allis, 3d.
J. G. Anderson.
B. W. Corkran.
H. C. Egan.
R. A. Gardner.
R. R. Gorton.
Oswald Kirkby.
Frederick Herreshoff.
Mason Phelps.
J. B. Schlotman.
Albert Seckel.
P. W. Whittemore.

HANDICAP 4.

E. M. Barnes.
T. V. Birmingham.
J. K. Bole.
R. W. Brown.
Philip Carter.
W. C. Chick.
Gordon Copeland.
F. C. Davidson.
F. S. Douglas.
Donald Edwards.
K. P. Edwards.
P. Gilbert.
Jesse Guilford.
Fraser Hale.
F. H. Hoyt.
P. M. Hunter.
J. R. Hyde.
A. F. Kammer.
Hamilton K. Kerr.
H. B. Lee, Jr.
H. G. Legg.
R. M. Lewis.
M. R. Marston.
F. A. Martin.
J. F. Neville.
G. A. Ormiston.
A. M. Reid.
W. R. Rhett.
D. E. Sawyer.
H. Schmidt.
T. M. Sherman.
J. D. Standish, Jr.
J. N. Stearns, 3d.
S. K. Sterne.
S. G. Stickney.
H. W. Stucklen.
G. P. Tiffany.
H. J. Topping.
W. R. Tuckerman.
C. E. Van Vleck, Jr.
G. C. Waldo, Jr.
J. M. Ward.
R. C. Watson.
Roy D. Webb.
Harold Weber.
W. K. Whigham.
Gardiner White.
N. M. Whitney.
E. M. Wild.
H. H. Wilder.



1, Chas. H. Rowe, Professional, Oakmont Country Club, Pittsburgh, Pa.; 2, Andrew Campbell, Professional, Springhaven Country Club, Wallingford, Pa.; 3, Fred Brand, Mount Lebanon (Pa.) Country Club; 4, L. M. McDonald; 5, James R. Thomson, Philadelphia Country Club; 6, T. Hucknall, Thornburg (Pa.) Country Club.

HANDICAP 5.

Robert Abbott.
G. N. Aldridge.
B. T. Allen.
T. J. O. Alsop.
E. S. Armstrong.
C. H. Arent.
E. H. Bankard.
C. V. Benton.
Chisholm Beach.
Max Behr.
Julian T. Bishop.
H. L. Bond, 3d.
S. D. Bowers.
L. D. Broomfield.
L. C. Bredin.
George T. Brokaw.
E. H. Brown.
C. H. Brown.
G. F. Brown.
R. G. Bush, Jr.
C. B. Buxton.
J. D. Cady.
W. H. Cady.
W. W. Carhart.
J. L. Carleton.
Simon Carr.
J. B. Chase.
T. M. Claflin.
E. A. Clapp.
E. W. Clark, 3d.
W. E. Clow, Jr.
L. H. Conklin.
H. T. Cook.
D. C. Corkran.
C. T. Crocker.
G. H. Crocker.
J. B. Crockton.
G. A. Crump.
J. F. Curtis.
J. C. Davidson.
C. R. Dennan.
C. B. Devol.
A. W. Dole.
J. Gordon Douglas.
H. L. Downey.
C. A. Dunning.
John H. Dwight.
Frank W. Dyer.
J. P. Edrington.
W. E. Egan.
B. W. Estabrook.
B. S. Evans.
E. B. Eynon, Jr
Walter Fairbanks.
D. Fairchild.
H. A. Fisher.
H. A. Fleager.
H. H. Francine.
D. P. Fredericks.
L. A. Frothingham.
C. H. Gardner.
Paul Gardner.
W. H. Gardner, 2d.
H. J. Gee.
Archibald Graham.
S. J. Graham.
L. M. Grimball.
R. E. Hanson.
L. L. Harlan.
R. W. Harvey.
J. W. Herron.
D. Herron.
H. B. Heyburn.
W. L. Hicks.
R. Hixon.
H. B. Hollins, Jr.
McKim Hollins.
R. H. Hovey.
Roger N. Hovey.
W. I. Howland, Jr.
R. Hunter.
R. E. Hunter.
W. B. Hunter.
A. Z. Huntington.
J. B. Hylan.
C. W. Inslee.
Louis Jacoby.
G. P. James.
P. R. Jennings.
R. S. Kampmann.
Richard Kavanagh.
H. C. Kayser.
F. W. Kemble.
P. W. Kendall.
Chris Kenny.
H. E. Kenworthy.
Ellis Knowles.
W. B. Langford.
C. T. Lansing.
V. S. Lawrence.
J. C. LeDuc.
M. P. Lewis.
John T. Ling.
Louis Livingston.
H. W. Lockett.
A. G. Lockwood.
H. R. London.
Devereux Lord.
Norman Macbeth.
J. N. Manning.
W. E. Marcus, Jr.
Chester Maxwell.
J. R. Maxwell, Jr.
Lee W. Maxwell.
B. P. Merriman.
G. A. Miller.
Ardo Mitchell.
F. K. Moore.
Wm. F. Morgan, Jr.
Richard Mott.
R. F. Mundy.
D. H. McAlpin, 2d.
Malcolm McBurney.
A. G. McIlwaine, 2d.
Donald McKellar.
J. T. McMillan.
H. B. McFarland.
John Naething.
F. C. Newton.
M. Fred O'Connell.
Raymond J. Ouimet.
Dwight Partridge.
R. S. Patrick.
W. D. Patterson.
W. M. Paul.
Grant Peacock.
H. W. Perrin.
Oliver Perin.
Ralph Peters, Jr.
F. R. Pettit.
W. G. Pfeil.
Percy Platt.
Harry Potter.
P. R. Pyne, 2d.
M. B. Reach.
Allen Reed.
John Reid, Jr.
J. M. Rhett.
John Reuter, Jr.
W. S. Reyburn.
L. M. Richmond.
Maurice E. Risley.
A. M. Robbins.
I. S. Robeson.
E. P. Rogers.
R. T. Rolfe.
Percy Rothwell.
Edward Satterthwait.
Scott Scannell.
C. H. Seeley.
W. P. Seeley.
H. V. Seggerman.
J. M. Sellers.
E. A. Service.
W. E. Shackelford.
J. F. Shanley, Jr.
Sherrill Sherman.
W. R. Simons.
Wallace M. Sinclair.
J. H. Slater.
George Small.
A. H. Smith.
W. P. Smith.
C. H. Stanley.
G. C. Stanley.
Philip Stanton.
W. D. Stapp.
W. P. Stewart.
W. A. Stickney.
W. E. Stiles.
Addison Stillwell.
C. J. Sullivan.
J. H. Sullivan, Jr.
W. W. Taylor.
Paul Tewksbury.
W. L. Thompson.
Wolcott Tuckerman.
A. C. Ulmer.
G. W. Waldo.
A. C. Wheeler.
George Woolston.
Nathaniel Wheeler.
Robert Weir.
W. T. West.
W. B. Wheeler.
Marshall Whitlatch.
H. F. Whitney.
A. C. Williams.
H. L. Willoughby.
Holden Wilson.
Harold B. Wood.
R. S. Worthington.

1, Miss Marion Hollins; 2, Mrs. R. H. Barlow, Winner Philadelphia Women's Championship; 3, Miss Gladys Ravenscroft.

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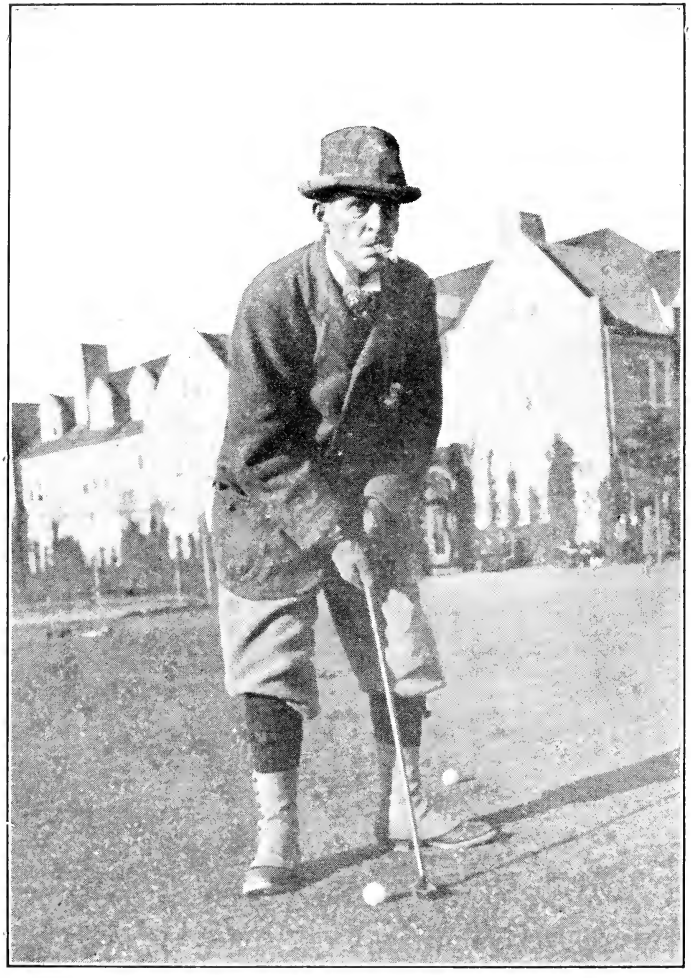
AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Oswald Kirkby, a former New Jersey title holder, at last succeeded in winning the highest honors of the Metropolitan Association by defeating Walter J. Travis in the finals by 3 and 1. The entry was a record one, 131 players teeing off at the Englewood Country Club's course. W. J. Travis had the low qualifying score, 148, while Kirkby was second with 150. The course, which is 6,205 yards in length, was in good shape, and the win was the result of long driving and excellent putting. Although Travers and Herreshoff were absentees, the interest was well maintained, and the consensus of opinion was that the victory was no fluke. Summary of the play:



WALTER J. TRAVIS.

Qualifying scores—W. J. Travis, Garden City, 148; Oswald Kirkby, Englewood, 150; Dwight Partridge, Bedford, 150; C. E. Van Vleck, Jr., Baltusrol, 153; M. R. Marston, Baltusrol, 155; W. F. Morgan, Jr., Baltusrol, 156; F. S. Douglas, Apawamis, 157; R. F. Mundy, Ardsley, 159; G. P. Tiffany, Powelton, 160; P. Platt, New York Golf Club, 160; Chisholm Beach, Fox Hills, 160; E. M. Barnes, Englewood, 160; A. F. Kammer, Fox Hills, 161; C. Hitchcock, Jr., Fox Hills, 162; A. M. Robbins, Garden City, 162; J. M. Rhett, Garden City, 163; R. D. Webb, Englewood, 163; G. W. White, Flushing, 163; C. H. Brown, St. Andrews, 164; B. F. Reinmund, Englewood, 164; H. Downey, Apawamis, 164; C. V. Benton, Saegkill, 164; G. T. Brokaw, Garden City, 164; O. Perrin, National, 164; J. R. Hyde, South Shore, 164; T. D. Conroy, Fox Hills, 165; R. Carroll, Knollwood, 165; H. G. Rice, Englewood, 166; G. F. Kohler, Richmond Co., 166; H. K. Kerr, Greenwich, 166; C. A. Dunning, Nassau, 167; L. M. Richmond, Oakland, 167.

First round—Kirkby d. Reinmund, 5 and 4; Van Vleck d. Kerr, 5 and 4; Richmond d. Morgan, 1 up, 19 holes; Marston d. Brown, 1 up; Hitchcock d. Robbins, 5 and 4; Douglas d. Perrin, 4 and 3; Tiffany d. Benton, 3 and 1; Barnes d. Dunning, 2 up; Mundy d. Downey, 4 and 3; Platt d. Rice, 3 and 2; White d. Hyde, 1 up; Travis d. Rhett, 2 and 1; Webb d. Kammer, 1 up; Conroy d. Beach, 2 up; Brokaw d. Kohler, 2 and 1; Partridge d. Carroll, 3 and 2.

Second round—Kirkby d. Van Vleck, 1 up, 19 holes; Marston d. Richmond, 5 and 3; Douglas d. Hitchcock, 4 and 3; Tiffany d. Barnes, 4 and 2; Platt d. Mundy, 4 and 2; Travis d. White, 3 and 2; Webb d. Conroy, 3 and 2; Brokaw d. Partridge, 2 and 1.

Third round—Kirkby d. Marston, 4 and 3; Douglas d. Tiffany, 3 and 2; Travis d. Platt, 6 and 4; Webb d. Brokaw, 1 up, 20 holes.

Semi-final round—Kirkby d. Douglas, 4 and 2; Travis d. Webb, 3 and 2.

Final round—Oswald Kirkby d. Walter J. Travis, 3 and 1.

Beaten Sixteen, final—A. F. Kammer, Fox Hills, d. Hamilton K. Kerr, Greenwich, 5 and 4.

Third Sixteen, final—W. Purcell, New York, d. Frederick Snare, Englewood, 7 and 6.

Fourth Sixteen, final—Wyatt W. Taylor, Ardsley, d. A. C. Travis, Englewood, 7 and 5.

The four-ball team match was won by W. S. Stafford and W. S. Ludlow, Englewood, with 37, 37—74, second place being taken by C. C. Van Vleck, Jr., and Max R. Marston, Baltusrol, with 36, 40—76.

The handicap event was won by Arden M. Robbins, Garden City, with 80 – 7, 73; gross score prize going to Gilman P. Tiffany, Powelton, with 78.

METROPOLITAN GOLF ASSOCIATION HANDICAP LIST.

Jerome D. Travers keeps his place at scratch despite the fact that he is no longer the Metropolitan champion, and, as was the case last year, no one is placed on the 1 mark. Oswald Kirkby, holder of the Metropolitan title, and Walter J. Travis, who was runner-up to Kirkby at Englewood last May, are together at 2, Fred Herreshoff, who was with them last year, being among the 3 men on the new list. With Herreshoff at 3 are E. M. Byers and W. K. Whigham, who occupied the same position a year ago. Fifteen golfers have been rated at 4, a decrease of one, although there have been a number of changes in the little group. The new list contains only golfers considered worthy of handicaps of 9 or less, and contains 559 names, an increase of eighteen over last year.

SCRATCH

J. D. Travers.

HANDICAP 1

Nobody.

HANDICAP 2

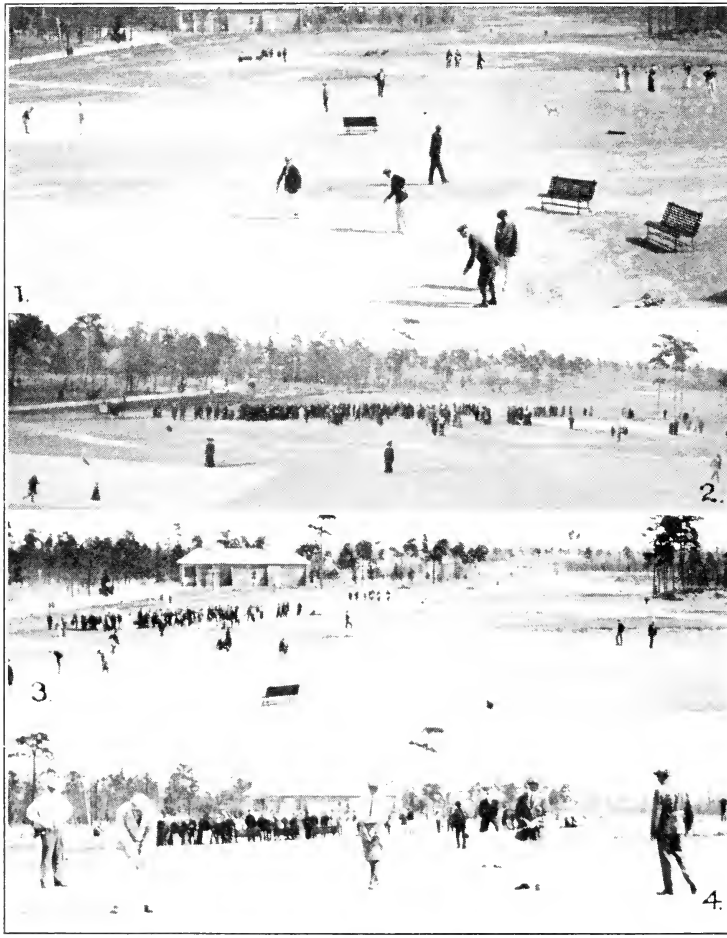
Oswald Kirkby. W. J. Travis.

HANDICAP 3

E. M. Byers. Frederick Herreshoff. W. K. Whigham.

HANDICAP 4

E. M. Barnes.
T. V. Bermingham.
P. V. G. Carter.
F. S. Douglas.
A. F. Kammer.
H. K. Kerr.
R. M. Lewis.
M. R. Marston.
A. M. Reid.
J. N. Stearns, 3d.
H. J. Topping.
R. D. Webb.
G. W. White.
Nelson Whitney.
E. M. Wild.



1, View from the veranda of No. 2 course; 2, "A championship is on"; 3, Waiting for the champions near 18th green; 4, A putt for the hole and the match.

VIEWS OF THE COURSE AT PINEHURST, N. C.

HANDICAP 5

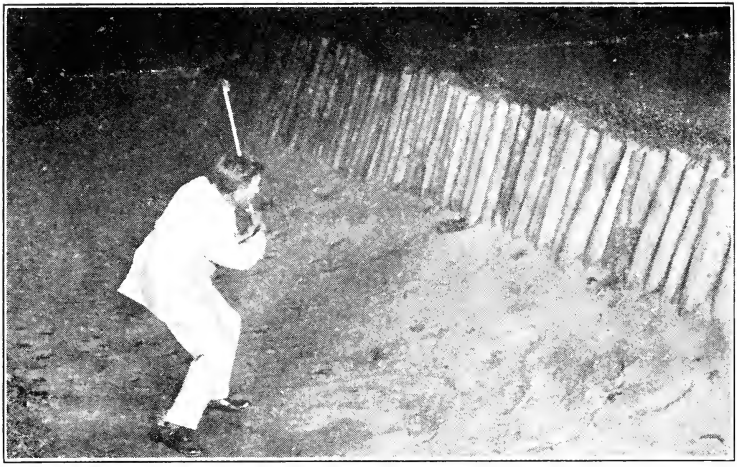
Robert Abbott.
B. T. Allen.
H. D. Bassett.
Chisholm Beach.
M. H. Behr.
B. S. Bottome.
S. D. Bowers.
G. T. Brokaw.
E. A. Clapp.
T. D. Conroy.
H. L. Downey.
C. A. Dunning.
F. W. Dyer.
Archibald Graham.
S. J. Graham.
W. L. Hicks.
H. B. Hollins.
McKim Hollins.
Robert Hunter.
J. R. Hyde.
H. C. Kayser.
P. W. Kendall.
G. F. Kohler.
C. T. Lansing.
J. D. Lord.
M. G. Macdonald.
L. W. Maxwell.
A. G. McIlwaine, 2d.
W. F. Morgan, Jr.
R. F. Mundy.
John Naething.
S. P. Nash.
F. C. Newton.
J C. Parrish, Jr.
Dwight Partridge.
G. A. Peacock.
John Reid, Jr.
W. B. Rhett.
F. P. Rogers.
C. H. Seeley.
W. P. Seeley.
H. V. Seggerman.
J. F. Shanley.
W. M. Sinclair.
J. H. Slater.
C. J. Sullivan.
W. W. Taylor.
C. E. Van Vleck, Jr.
J. M. Ward.
R. C. Watson.
Nathaniel Wheeler.

HANDICAP 6

C. H. Arent.
G. H. Barnes.
W. R. Barnhill.
R. I. Barr.
L. P. Bayard, Jr.
C. V. Benton.
W. B. Bremner.
C. H. Brown.
Andrew Carnegie, 2d.
R. C. Carroll.
M. J. Condon.
L. H. Conklin.
W. E. Conklyn.
Leslie Conley.
S. D. Connolly.
C. J. Crookall.
H. J. Donnelly.
J. G. Douglas.
T. V. V. Ely.
Devereux Emmet.
J. D. Foot.
H. M. Forrest.
D. B. Fuller, Jr.
H. V. Gaines.
J. B. Garfield.
H. J. Gee.
W. T. Glenney.
Gaines Gwathmey.
L. P. Gwyer.
L. A. Hamilton.
Paul Harrison.
D. R. Hartshorne.
David Herron.
E. F. Hunt.
P. H. Jennings.
Howard Juster.
Henry Kryn.
R. D. Lapham.
C. S. Lee.
S. C. Mabon.
W. E. Marcus, Jr.
D. H. McAlpin 2d.
Malcolm McBurney.
Donald McKellar.
J. W. McMenamy.
A. S. Morrow.
C. W. O'Connor.
H. O. Parsons.
W. D. Patterson.
Walter Peebles.
Ralph Peters, Jr.
W. G. Pfeil.
H. G. Phillips.
Sherburne Prescott.
E. B. Prindle.
P. R. Pyne 2d.
J. J. Radel.
L. M. Richmond.
J. B. Rose.
W. R. Simons.
C. H. Smith.
H. A. Steiner.
W. R. Thurston.
J. B. Turner, Jr.
C. G. Waldo.
C. G. Waldo, Jr.
W. H. Wallace, Jr.
L. M. Washburn.
M. K. Waters.
A. C. Wheeler.
F. S. Wheeler.
Marshall Whitlach.
H. F. Whitney.
G. E. Widmer.
F. C. Williams.
George Wollston.
Oscar Woodward.
Arthur Wright.

HANDICAP 7

J. E. Adams.
Frank Allaire.
W. B. Averell.
F. W. Baldwin.
W. A. Barber.
A. S. Bourne.
J. R. Buchanan.
L. W. Callan.
Donald Carr.
H. O. Christl.
A. M. Coats.
Clark Cochran.
Thornton Conover.
H. M. Coxe.
T. H. Crane.
L. M. Donaldson.
W. K. Dunn.
C. H. Farley.
R. N. B. Fay.
M. L. Fearey.
B. C. Fuller.
W. L. Glenney.
D. W. Granberry.
H. S. Graves.
Chester Griswold.
R. H. Gwaltnee.
P. T. Haber.
J. E. Hale.
C. M. Hall.
E. M. Hart.
R. S. Hincks.
Joseph Hodgson.
W. W. Hoffman.
A. A. Holmes.
B. S. Horne.
J. T. Hubbard.
C. H. Jackson.
F. C. Jennings.
W. D. Johnson.
H. R. Johnstone.
J. P. Kellogg.
L. W. Kinnear.
E. S. Knapp.
J. P. Knapp.
E. B. Knowlton.
W. F. Ladd.
Osborn Lawes.
C. R. Leake, 2d.
Louis Livingston.
W. A. Lowrie.
Frank Lowson.
C. B. MacDonald.
A. W. Maine.
G. B. Martin.
W. G. McKnight.
C. V. Messerole.
R. M. Miller.
Henry Moir.
E. E. Moody.
Paul Moore.
U. A. Murdock.
J. D. Newman.
W. J. Nichols.
J. A. Peck.
P. G. Platt.
Seney Plummer.
L. W. Pomares.
W. F. Purcell.
B. F. Reinmund.
F. C. Reynolds.
Grantland Rice.
H. C. Richard.
W. L. Richard.
C. T. Richardson.
E. J. Ridgway.
A. M. Robbins.
G. I. Sawyer.
E. B. Schley.
C. M. Sheafe, Jr.
J. I. Simmons.
H. D. Smith.
Frederick Snare.
R. E. Sprott.
W. S. Stafford.
E. C. Stevens.
E. E. Sturges.
A. D. Swords.
R. M. Tarleton.
F. H. Thomas.
T. G. Thomas.
H. R. Townsend.
A. C. Travis.
Calvin Truesdale.
C. J. Turner.
J. A. Tyng.
S. O. Vanderpool.
W. D. Vanderpool.
W. W. Van Loan.
William Watson.
W. B. Wheeler.
R. H. White.
H. H. Wilcox.
T. F. Wilcox.
R. H. Williams, Jr.
F. M. Wilson.
S. M. Woods.



George Low, Baltusrol Golf Club Professional, making a bunker shot. Taken at night in one two-thousandths of a second by the light of three flashes simultaneously fired. A small oil lantern nearby furnished sufficient light for hitting the ball.

1, Pat Doyle, Myopia Hunt Club, Boston, Mass.; 2, Alec Campbell, Baltimore (Md.) Country Club; 3, James MacGregor, Agawam Hunt Club, Providence, R. I.; 4, Tom Kerrigan, Dedham, Mass.; 5, Wm. McDonald, Mount Anthony Country Club, Bennington, Vt.

HANDICAP 8

A. R. Allan.
Henry Allsop.
A. B. Ashforth.
J. B. Baker.
A. M. Baldwin.
G. H. Baldwin.
Matmin Ballou.
D. H. Barrows.
J. G. Batterson.
W. R. Betts.
C. G. Black.
H. H. Bottome.
Durant Bowers.
G. K. Boyce.
H. D. Brewster.
H. M. Brittin.
Walter Brown.
J. H. Buckbee.
M. N. Buckner.
Leighton Calkins.
R. P. Carter.
G. C. Clark, Jr.
H. B. Clark.
G. P. B. Clarke.
C. G. Comstock.
A. N. Cowperthwait.
B. A. Day.
R. F. Decker.
E. L. de Forest.
S. K. de Forest.
C. P. Dixon.
G. A. Dixon, Jr.
A. T. Dwight.
J. W. Eginton, Jr.
B. T. Fairchild.
A. Feuchtwanger.
A. R. Fish.
P.H.B.Frelinghuysen.
C. E. Gardiner, Jr.
C. S. Goss.
Lawrence Gourlay.
H. S. Green.
G. C. Greenway.
H. L. Grinnell.
J. T. Gwathmey.
W. W. Harris.
F. C. Havemeyer.
Bennett Heath.
F. R. Hill.
S. M. Hinman.
T. C. Hoffman.
Sheppard Homans.
T. D. Hooper.
H. G. Hornfeck.
J. S. Irving.
J. A. Janin.
A. E. Jones.
Roger Jones.
S. F. Jones.
F. S. Keeler.
C. S. Kellogg.
D. P. Kingsley.
J. G. Knox.
F. E. Lalley.
R. E. Larendon.
W. P. Letchford.
J. C. Lord.
W. E. Loughman.
G. S. Ludlow.
Jasper Lynch.
W. D. Macdonald.
T. W. Maley.
D. L. Manson.
W. E. Marcus.
G. G. Mason.
C. F. Mathewson.
H. W. Maxwell.
H. W. Maxwell, Jr.
R. H. McAdams.
W. J. McConvill.
M. M. Michael.
Z. T. Miller.
A. E. C. Milligan.
John Molier, Jr.
A. H. Moore.
F. A. Moore.
W. E. F. Moore.
Alfred Morell.
W. C. Morrill.
C. M. Murphy.
H. L. Nichols.
Alfred Norris.
A. L. Norris.
W. M. Oler, Jr.
A. P. Palmer.
W. G. Phillips.
W. L. Pierce, Jr.
W. H. Pool.
A. C. Platt.
Charles Presbrey.
J. T. Pulling.
R. L. Redfield.
F. O. Reinhart.
F. B. Richardson.
W. V. Roberts.
G. E. Robinson.
T. M. S. Rolls.
A. W. Rossiter.
Winthrop Sayer.
M. M. Singer.
Cornelius Smith, Jr.
W. M. Smith.
Victor Sorchan.
S. R. Soverel.
A. G. M. Stavely.
F. A. Steele.
Walter Stern.
W. P. Stevenson.
H. B. Stoddard.
J. B. C. Tappan.
Lloyd Tefft.
W. P. Thompson.
E. A. Thomson.
C. P. Turner.
L. H. Tyng.
C. E. Van Vleck.
William Vitt.
Willard Wadsworth.
J. L. Walker.
Theodore Warner.
A. J. Watson.
C. F. Watson.
G. E. Watson.
H. G. White.
E. H. Wiswell.
H. R. Worthington.

HANDICAP 9

G. H. Abbott.
A. C. Aborn.
Ellis Adams.
J. K. Adams.
W. S. Adams.
J. D. Ahearn.
A. E. Allsop.
R. H. Aronson.
W. W. Babcock.
F. F. Bach.
H. A. Bade.
J. W. Baker.
David Bandler.
H. Y. Barrow.
Frank Barton.
J. G. Bates.
H. C. Berner.
C. H. Blake, Jr.
J. P. Bradshaw.
Reginald Brooks.
F. K. Bull.
S. P. Bush.
Alexander Carleton.
O. E. Carlson.
V. E. Carlson.
T. W. Carter.
Theodore Cassebeer.
W. Catchings.
Daniel Channcey.
J. S. Clark.
A. A. Clarke.
R. G. Colt.
R. S. Courtney.
R. E. Crane.
H. S. Cummings.
F. F. de Rham.
F. E. Donohue.
H. S. Doty.
F. C. Dunning.
Reginald Fincke.
F. K. Flaugh.
E. W. Fowler.
F. W. L. Fullerton.
Herman Gabren.
T. C. Gales.
L. B. Garretson.
H. G. Giles.
J. S. Gillespie.
P. H. Goldsmith.
F. M. Gould.
Gervase Green.
Wharton Green.
N. F. Griffin.
O. L. Gubelman.
F. M. Gwyer.
C. H. Hart.
Howard Hasbrouck.
J. J. Hazen.
F. J. Helmle.
R. W. Henderson.
H. Hering.
P. J. Herron.
R. Hinman.
H. L. Holmes.
Harry Homans.
Thomas Hovenden.
V. B. Hubbell.
L. B. Hughes.
R. D. Humphreys.
W. J. Hyde.
A. H. Johnson.
W. C. Johnson.
F. E. Kehn.
H. V. Keep.
E. L. Keyes.
J. E. Kelly.
E. H. Kendall.
F. P. Kimball.
W. S. Kinnear.
William Kirker.
M. W. Laidlaw.
W. A. Larned.
M. P. Lewis.
C. C. Lima, Jr.
G. K. Maltby.
Arthur Man.
F. A. Marsellus.
H. T. Marshall.
C. A. McCormick.
Albert McDougal.
C. R. McInnes.
C. R. McMillen.
B. Q. Meyers.
C. E. Miller.
Robert Mitchell.
C. B. Morgan.
C. E. Morris.
John Morrison.
A. Murphy.
E. De C. Nash.
H. S. Paine.
W. A. Patterson.
C. N. Peacock.
H. L. Phillips.
S. Phillips.
Joseph Pickhard, Jr.
S. N. Pierson.
Clarence Place.
A. H. Pogson.
A. H. Porter.
E. M. Posey.
Frank Presbrey.
R. A. Rainey.
P. S. P. Randolph, Jr.
C. M. Relyea.
J. C. Rennard.
R. C. Rice.
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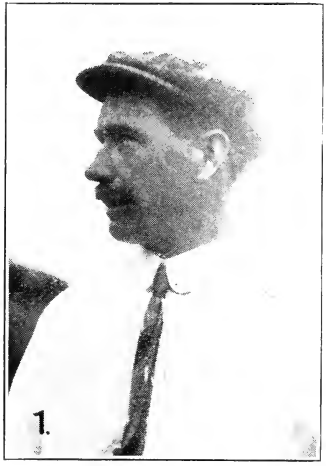
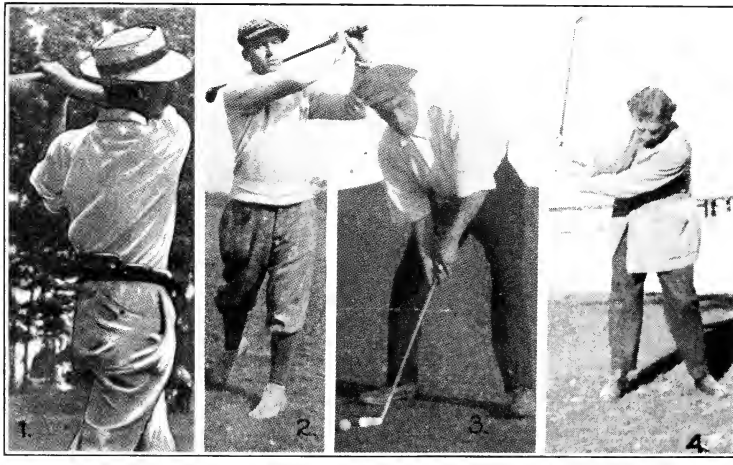


1, Isaac Mackie, Winner of the Eastern Open Championship at Shawnee; 2, Joe Mitchell, Ridgewood (N. J.) Country Club, Runner-up Eastern Open Championship.



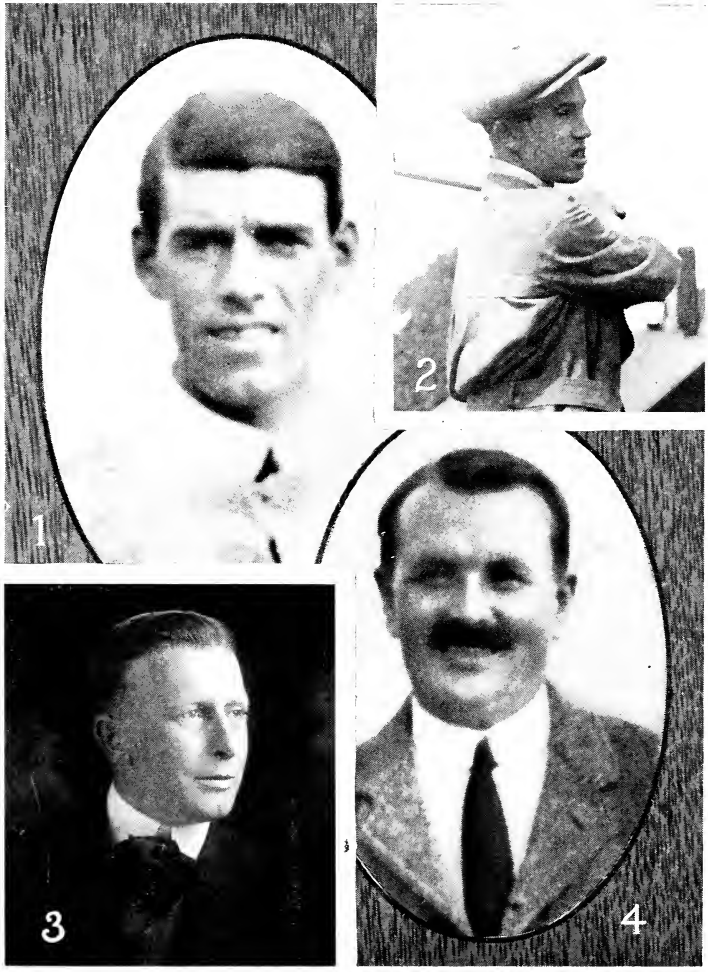
1, George Sargent, Chevy Chase (Md.) Golf Club; 2, Stewart Maiden, Atlanta (Ga.) Athletic Club; 3, Robert Craigs, Audubon Country Club, Louisville, Ky.; 4, E. K. McCarthy, Florida Country Club, Jacksonville, Fla.

HANDICAP 9—Continued.

C. S. Selleck.
Butler Sheldon.
H. A. Sherman.
Edward Shippen.
W. C. Shoup.
F. H. Simmons.
F. C. Smith.
James T. Smith.
M. L. K. Smith.
R. A. Smith.
F. A. Solwedel.
C. A. Spofford.
N. E. Sprague.
Ed Stern.
Alfred Stillman.
J. A. Stillman.
C. B. Storrs.
C. T. Stout.
C. T. Sweeny.
W. V. Swords.
R. B. Taft.
Lindsley Tappin.
J. L. Taylor.
William Thaw.
W. G. Thomas.
V. C. Thorne.
T. T. Totten.
R. J. Trevorrow.
W. E. Truesdale.
Eugene Valentine.
L. E. Van Etten.
C. Wallace.
F. H. Webster.
Samuel Wethirell.
A. G. Whitman.
C. B. Wilcox.
J. H. Williams.
O. L. Williams.
N. N. Williamson.
H. A. Wilson.
F. A. Wright.
R. H. Wylie.
C. F. Ziegler.

CLUB CHAMPIONS, METROPOLITAN DISTRICT.

Apawamis	Henry Kryn
Ardsley	Roswell F. Mundy
Baltusrol	Maxwell R. Marston
Brooklawn	W. Parker Seely
Brooklyn-Forest Park	Hugh J. Donnelly
Canoe Brook	W. E. F. Moore
Cranford	Maxwell R. Marston
Deal	Percy W. Kendall
Dunwoodie	Zachariah T. Miller
Dyker Meadow	H. O. Parsons
Englewood	Robert E. Larendon
Flushing	Gardiner W. White
Forest Hill	Frederick K. Flaugh
Fox Hills	August F. Kammer
Glen Ridge	Harry D. Smith
Hackensack	Embury Palmer
Haworth	Devereux Lord
Hollywood	Harold A. Steiner
Inwood	Harold A. Steiner
Knollwood	T. F. Wilcox
Long Branch	J. Campbell Phillips
Mahopac	William Chilvers
Marine and Field	H. A. Jacobus
Montclair	William E. Marcus, Jr.
Nassau	John N. Stearns, 3d.
N. Y. Newspaper	William W. Harris
North Jersey	H. C. Burnett
Oakland	Lieut. W. K. Dunn
Orange Co.	Richard D. Clemson
Powelton	Humphrey C. Tiffany
Plainfield	William T. Glenney
Princeton	Russell T. Fay
Ridgewood	G. Frederick Kohler
Rumson	J. Prentice Kellogg
Scarsdale	Lee W. Maxwell
St. Andrews	Archie M. Reid
Scottish-American	Walter Peebles
Siwanoy	Herbert L. Phillips
Somerville	William C. Freeman
South Orange F. C.	Schuyler Van Vechten
Spring Lake	Lawson Watts
Tuxedo	Cornelius S. Lee
Upper Montclair	Edward A. Clapp
Wee Burn	Charles H. Seely
Wykagyl	T. V. Bermingham
Yountakah	Walter G. Pfeil



1, George Duncan of England; 2, J. J. McDermott, Winner National Open Championships, 1911 and 1912; 3, Gilbert Nichols, Metropolitan Open Champion, 1911; 4, James Donaldson, Glenview Golf Club.

WOMEN'S METROPOLITAN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

For the third time in the history of this association Miss Lillian B. Hyde demonstrated her superiority by winning the championship from Miss Georgianna Bishop of Brooklawn by the large margin of 9 and 7.

Miss Bishop's defeat was an overwhelming one, and, as she has been champion herself on two previous occasions, to say the least it was an unexpectedly bad one. She was completely off her game, while the champion put up one of the best games ever played by a woman in a similar event in this country. Miss Hyde's victories were all easy ones and it would appear as if her path to the blue ribbon event of the year—the National Championship—is hers for the taking. Summary:

Qualifying scores—Miss Lillian B. Hyde, South Shore, 89; Miss G. M. Bishop, Brooklawn, 90; Mrs. Leo F. Wanner, Essex, 95; Mrs. Lawrence Swift, Knollwood, 95; Mrs. W. J. Faith, Wykagyl, 95; Mrs. H. R. Stockton, Plainfield, 96; Mrs. A. B. Holden, Essex, 98; Mrs. M. H. Frayne, Dunwoodie, 98; Mrs. E. F. Sanford, Essex, 98; Mrs. S. A. Herzog, Fairview, 99; Mrs. C. L. Greenhall, Hollywood, 99; Miss Bertha Stratton, Cranford, 100; Mrs. A. C. Aborn, Montclair, 100; Miss Marion Hollins, Westbrook, 101; Mrs. C. W. Rendigs, Midland, 102; Mrs. C. J. Fraser, Baltusrol, 102.

First round—Mrs. Swift d. Mrs. Fraser, 3 and 1; Miss Hyde d. Mrs. Stockton, 5 and 4; Mrs. Faith d. Mrs. Rendigs, 7 and 6; Miss Stratton d. Mrs. Herzog, 5 and 3; Mrs. Frayne d. Mrs. Aborn, 2 and 1; Mrs. Wanner d. Mrs. Greenhall, 6 and 5; Miss Bishop d. Mrs. Sanford, 8 and 7; Miss Hollins d. Mrs. Holden, 5 and 3.

Second round—Miss Hyde d. Mrs. Swift, 3 and 2; Mrs. Faith d. Miss Stratton, 1 up; Mrs. Frayne d. Mrs. Wanner, 1 up; Miss Bishop d. Miss Hollins, 6 and 5.

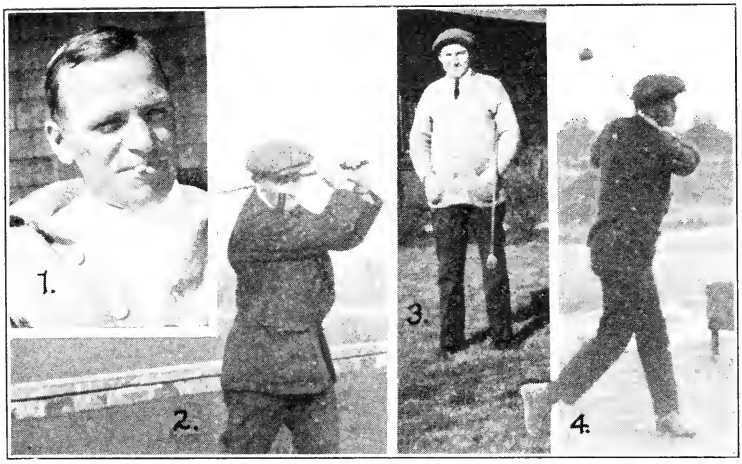
Semi-final round—Miss Hyde d. Mrs. Faith, 5 and 4; Miss Bishop d. Mrs. Frayne, 7 and 5.

Final round—Miss Lillian B. Hyde, South Shore, d. Miss G. M. Bishop, Brooklawn, 9 and 7.

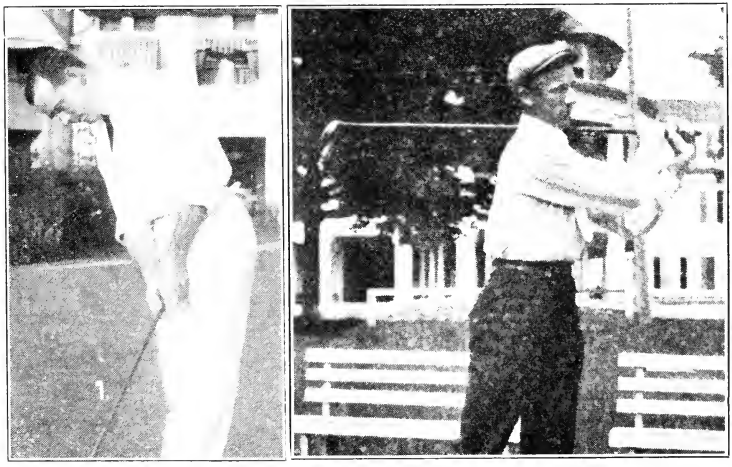
Beaten eight—Miss Bertha Stratton, Cranford, d. Mrs. C. L. Greenhall, Hollywood, 4 and 2. Second flight—Mrs. Henry Blumenthal, Fairview, d. Mrs. A. G. Cahn, Century, 3 and 2. Third flight—Miss Louise Krug, Englewood, d. Mrs. C. A. Woodruff, Forest Hill, 5 and 4.

WOMEN'S METROPOLITAN RECORDS.

May 5	Englewood	Gross—Miss Grace Farrelly, Englewood, 120. Net—Mrs. Lester Ketcham, Fox Hills, 141—25, 116.
May 12	Montclair	Gross—Mrs. H. Reeve Stockton, Plainfield, 96. Net—Mrs. Lester Ketcham, Fox Hills, 114—25, 89.
May 14	Knollwood	Gross—Mrs. A. S. Rossin, Century, 93. Net—Mrs. W. J. Faith, Wykagyl, 94—3, 91.
May 19	North Jersey...	Gross—Mrs. Lawrence Swift, Knollwood, 97. Net—Mrs. Henry Blumenthal, Fairview, 99—8, 91.
May 21	Piping Rock...	Gross—Miss Louise F. Krug, Englewood, 101. Net—Mrs. Joseph E. Davis, Nassau, 104—11, 93.
June 8	Apawamis	Gross—Mrs. Albert J. Morgan, Apawamis, 100. Net—Mrs. R. S. Hincks, Brooklawn, 109—15, 94.
June 15	Fox Hills.....	Gross—Mrs. C. F. Uebelacker, Hackensack, 100. Net—Mrs. T. H. Thomas, Hackensack, 103—11, 92.
June 17	Scarsdale	Gross—Mrs. W. J. Faith, Wykagyl, 89. Net—Mrs. H. W. Ely, Scarsdale, 109—20, 89.
July 13	Hollywood	Gross—Mrs. Lloyd Wimpfheimer, Hollywood, 91. Net—Mrs. Charles L. Greenhall, Hollywood, 91—5, 86.
Sept. 22	Forest Hill....	Gross—Mrs. W. J. Faith, Wykagyl, 87. Net—Mrs. H. E. Manyel, Westfield, 107—25, 82.
Sept. 29	Morris Co.....	Gross—Mrs. H. Reeve Stockton, Plainfield, 86. Net—Mrs. C. F. Ueblacker, Hackensack, 97—7, 90.
Oct. 1	Sleepy Hollow..	Gross—Mrs. Henry Blumenthal, Fairview, 96. Net—Mrs. Morgan R. Howe, Sleepy Hollow, 102—15, 87.
Oct. 6	Plainfield	Gross—Mrs. H. Reeve Stockton, Plainfield, 91. Net—Miss Beatrice Hedges, Plainfield, 106—20, 86.
Oct. 9	Montclair	Gross—Mrs. W. J. Faith, Wykagyl, 85. Net—Mrs. L. L. Blake, Cranford, 91—10, 81.
Oct. 13	Wykagyl	Gross—Mrs. A. G. Cahn, Century, 91. Net—Mrs. S. A. Herzog, Fairview, 95—6, 89.
Oct. 15	Arcola	Gross—Mrs. H. Reeve Stockton, Plainfield, 92. Net—Mrs. W. J. Faith, Wykagyl, 95—3, 92.
Oct. 20	Hackensack	Gross—Mrs. W. J. Faith, Wykagyl, 89. Net—Mrs. J. C. Barclay, Hackensack, 90—8, 82.



1, Horace Armitage, Shinnecock Hills Golf Club, Southampton, L. I., N. Y.; 2, Jack Williams, Piping Rock Club, Locust Valley, L. I., N. Y.; 3, John Hagen, Salisbury Links, Garden City, L. I., N. Y.; 4, Frank H. Belwood, Garden City Golf Club, Garden City, L. I., N. Y.



1, M. J. Brady, Wollaston Golf Club, Montclair, Mass., Massachusetts Open Champion, 1914; 2, Orrin Terry, Belmont Springs Country Club, Waverley, Mass., Runner-up Massachusetts Open Championship, 1914.

WOMEN'S METROPOLITAN RECORDS—Continued.

Oct. 21—Ardsley .....Gross—Mrs. J. H. Williams, Dunwoodie, 98.
Net—Mrs. T. B. Nielson, Hackensack, 100—8, 92.
Oct. 22—Westfield .....Gross—Mrs. H. Reeve Stockton, Plainfield, 88.
Net—Mrs. F. B. Ryan, Cranford, 91—7, 84.
Oct. 26—Essex Co.....Gross—Mrs. H. Reeve Stockton, Plainfield, 89.
Net—Mrs. L. L. Blake, Cranford, 90—7, 83.
Nov. 11-13—Lakewood ..Invitation—Mrs. R. H. Barlow, Philadelphia, d. Mrs. H. R. Stockton, Plainfield, 5 and 3. Medallist, Mrs. Stockton, 88.

METROPOLITAN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Macdonald Smith of Oakmont, a younger brother of the 1913 title-holder, Alec Smith of Wykagyl, won the Metropolitan Open Championship title by finishing four rounds with a record total of 278.

As a curtain raiser for the championship, which was played over the links of the Scarsdale Golf and Country Club, a four-ball competition was run off, the professionals having amateurs as partners. The outstanding feature of the play was the fact that the youthful amateur, Frank W. Dyer of Montclair, produced the best score, going around in 67. Dyer and his professional partner, Tom Anderson, also of Montclair, had a best ball of 63, and led the field of forty-seven pairs. This was three strokes better than the combined efforts of E. A. Clapp, the club champion at Upper Montclair, and Joe Mitchell, the club's professional. Summary:

Frank W. Dyer and Tom Anderson, 63; E. A. Clapp and Joe Mitchell, 66; T. V. Bermingham and Alec Smith, 67; Reginald M. Lewis and Macdonald Smith, 68; Eben M. Byers and Jack Hutchinson, 68; Oswald Kirkby and Jack Hobens, 68; Lee W. Maxwell and Jack Dowling, 68; D. P. Healey and W. Macfarland, 69; Charles E. Van Vleck, Jr., and Fred McLeod, 69; C. Walker and T. F. Wettstein, 69; L. M. Watts and James R. Thomson, 70; L. F. Denning and James M. Barnes, 70; Robert Andrew and C. L. Bardo, 71; Fred Kerr and C. H. Anderson, 71; Herbert Wolff and Herbert Strong, 71; C. G. Comstock, Jr., and Daniel S. Mackie, 71; Gardiner W. White and Elmer W. Loving, 72; Dwight Partridge and W. E. Stoddart, 72; F. D. Brengel and Harry Cowie, 72; W. Roy Barnhill and Isaac Mackie, 72; James D. Foot and Charles H. Hoffner, 72; C. W. Singleton and H. L. Phillips, 73; F. A. Soldwedel and Louis Tellier, 73; H. D. Hawkes and George Sargent, 73; A. B. Grafius and George Low, 73; L. Kebler and Bayard Beebe, 74; Dr. A. W. Haight and Thomas L. McNamara, 74; M. B. Starring, Jr., and Leonard Biles, 74; Frederick K. Flaugh and Dave Honeyman, 74; G. Schepmoes and Nick Demane, 74; J. H. Buckbee, Jr., and Joe Sylvester, 75; M. R. Moore and James Fraser, 75; T. R. Brown and Robert M. Thompson, 75; J. A. Moore and J. F. Donato, 75; J. D. Chapman and Joe Doeberl, 75; Walter F. Purcell and Hugh Clasby, 75; C. L. Maxwell and James Ferguson, 76; G. B. Carhart and Frank Doeberl, 76; Howard F. Whitney and James Maiden, 76; F. R. Hill and Jack Jolly, 77; John Bredemus and Fred Cook, 77; E. V. Fowler and L. M. Macdonald, 78; S. Clifton Mabon and Frank Bellwood, 78; G. Van Vleck and G. Saling, 81.

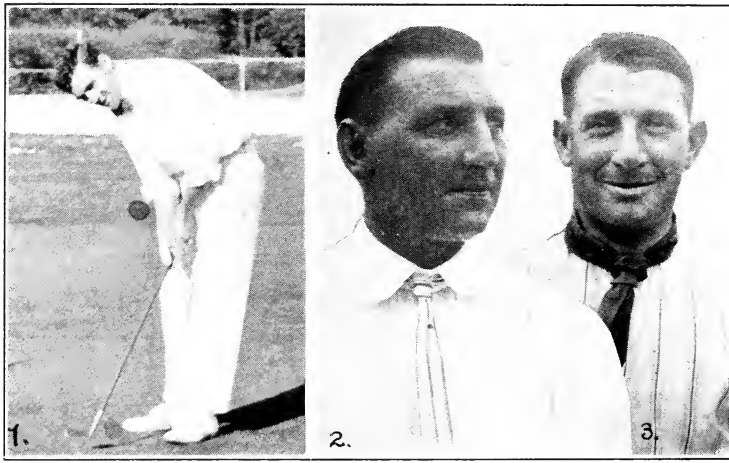
The weather was ideal and the course in wonderful condition. Golf that was little short of wonderful gave Macdonald Smith the lead at the end of the first day's play with a total of 137.

In 1911 Gil Nicholls of Wilmington had a total of 281 for seventy-two holes in the same championship at Englewood, a score made largely through the fact that he had a 66 on the last round. His total for the last thirty-six holes was 137. Harry Vardon during the German Open Championship in 1911 is credited with 279 over a German course well under 6,000 yards. The Scarsdale course measures 6,050 yards. J. H. Taylor and Ed Ray equaled his record the year following.

Jack Hutchinson of Allegheny came within a stroke of Macdonald Smith, getting two 69's, while four were tied for third place with 145: Jack Dowling of Scarsdale; William Macfarlane, Baltimore; Robert Andrew, New Haven, and Jack Hobens, Englewood.

Oswald Kirkby, the Metropolitan and New Jersey amateur title-holder, led the amateurs with 73, 75—148.

When the third round began Smith and Jack Hutchinson of Allegheny, with scores of 137 and 138 for the first day, were practically the only ones



1, Fred Low, Worcester (Mass.) Golf Club; 2, Dave Honeyman, Forest Hill Field Club, Belleville, N. J.; 3, Tom Anderson, Montclair Golf Club, Verona, N. J.

1, William Skelly, Camden, S. C.; 2, James McKenzie, Capital City Club, Atlanta, Ga.; 3, William Mann, Druid Hills Golf Club, Atlanta, Ga.

with a chance for the title, for 145 was the nearest score to theirs. Smith removed the last vestige of doubt as to the identity of the new champion when he came in with his 68, just at the time that word came in from the links that Hutchinson was going at no such fast clip as his rival. A few minutes later the Allegheny man turned up with a 73, and was six strokes behind. A little hard luck in putting and a topped shot into a brook on the sixth kept Smith's score from being even lower. The scores at the end of the third round were: Smith, 205; Hutchinson, 211.

Only the worst sort of play in the afternoon could have kept Smith from winning, and although he did seem to let up a bit he finished with a good 73. At both the eleventh and twelfth holes he was out of bounds. Hutchinson dropped still further back, as he could do no better than 77, and Macfarlane, who had made a 72 in the morning and a 70 in the afternoon, slipped into second place by one stroke. Smith's morning score follows:

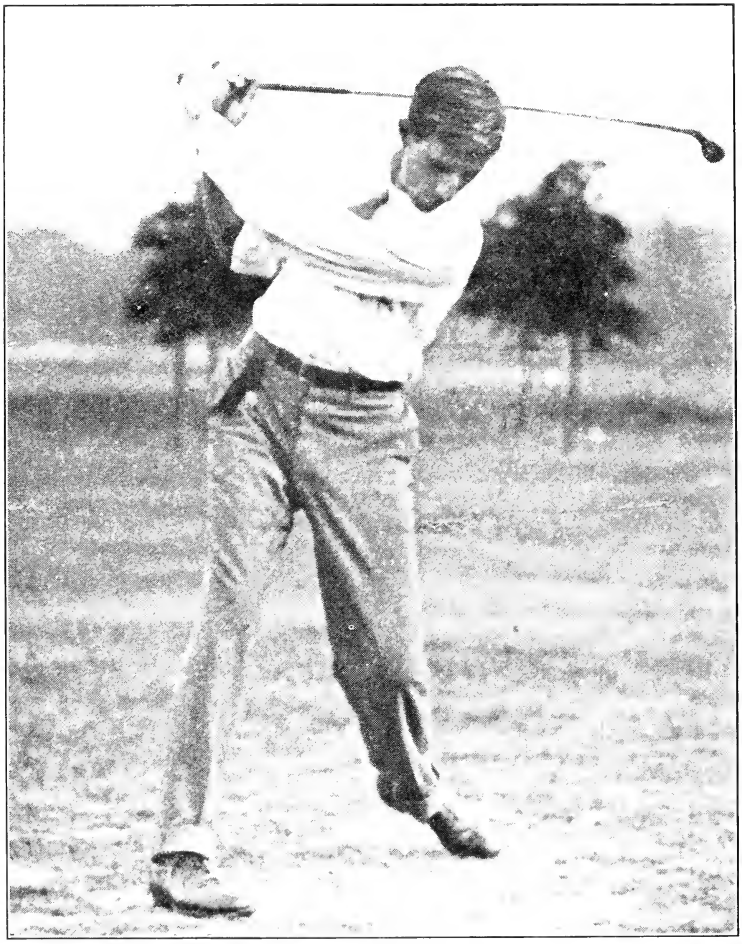
Out	5	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	—33
In	3	4	4	4	4	4	3	5	4	—35—68

Of the eight golfers who led at the end of the first day's play seven finished in the money, although there were several shifts in the order. The newcomer to the group of leaders was James Maiden of Nassau. A 69 made in the afternoon put him in select company. It not only gave him a tie with Jack Dowling for fourth place, but won for him the prize for the lowest afternoon score and enabled him to share with Macdonald Smith the prize for the lowest thirty-six hole total for the day.

Smith had only one 6 on his card, that being at the first hole of the first round, when he pulled his tee shot and had difficulty with some trees. The sixteenth hole, par for which is 5, was negotiated by this brilliant young golfer in 3 on three of the four rounds. With a little luck on his fourth attempt for a 3 there he would have had another. As it was he rimmed the cup for it. The scores follow:

Macdonald Smith, Oakmont	137	68	73—278
William Macfarlane, Baltimore	145	72	70—287
Jack Hutchinson, Allegheny	138	73	77—288
Jack Hobens, Englewood	145	75	73—293
Jack Dowling, Scarsdale	145	74	75—294
James Maiden, Nassau	153	72	69—294
Louis Tellier, Canoe Brook	147	72	76—295
Robert Andrew, New Haven	145	79	72—296
George Sargent, Chevy Chase	152	70	75—297
Carl H. Anderson, New London	147	74	76—297
J. M. Barnes, Whitemarsh Valley	151	75	74—298
David Hunter, Essex County	153	70	76—299
Elmer W. Loving, Arcola	151	77	71—299
C. H. Hoffner, Atlantic City	149	77	74—300
David Honeyman, Forest Hill	150	75	75—300
Alec Smith, Wykagyl	154	74	74—302
Tom Anderson, Montclair	153	72	79—304
*Oswald Kirkby, Englewood	148	80	76—304
Joe Mitchell, Upper Montclair	151	75	79—305
Fred McLeod, Columbia	157	75	74—306
George Low, Baltusrol	153	78	76—307
F. H. Bellwood, Garden City	154	76	78—308
Cyril Walker, Pine Orchard	157	73	78—308
Herbert Strong, Inwood	158	75	75—308
J. R. Thomson, Philadelphia	149	79	80—308
R. M. Thompson, Glen Ridge	157	72	80—309
L. M. McDonald, Erie	158	75	77—310
Isaac S. Mackie, Fox Hills	160	78	72—310
Tom L. McNamara, Boston	152	75	83—310
Jack Jolly, Newark	156	78	79—313
W. E. Stoddard, Bedford	160	77	76—313
Joe Sylvester, Glens Falls	156	78	79—313
Bert Battell, Flushing	151	81	82—314
Tom W. Bonner, Charlotte	155	83	77—315
James Corcoran, unattached	161	76	79—316

*Amateur.



J. M. BARNES,
Western Open Champion.
At the top of the swing—actual play. This drive was about 270 yards, at the Whitemarsh Valley Country Club.

*C. E. Van Vleck, Jr., Baltusrol	160	74	82—316
*Gardiner W. White, Flushing	161	79	77—317
George T. Sayers, Merion	161	78	79—318
William Hanley, Annandale	164	76	79—319
Howard Beckett, Washington	160	81	79—320
J. R. Inglis, Fairview	161	84	75—320
Leonard Biles, Sleepy Hollow	159	82	79—320
Jack Hagen, Salisbury	163	80	77—320
Tom Patterson, Knollwood	158	81	81—320
Nick Demane, Rye	163	80	78—321
Harry Cowie, Boca Grande	160	86	77—323
Jack Beckett, Baltusrol	158	81	84—323
Daniel S. Mackie, Century	156	82	85—323
C. W. Singleton, Siwanoy	161	82	81—324
*Lee W. Maxwell, Scarsdale	154	86	88—328
J. R. Langlands, Weequahic	161	78	88—327
George Dernbach, Richmond Co.	164	81	83—328
J. F. Donato, unattached	161	87	80—328

* Amateur.

JUNIOR METROPOLITAN CHAMPIONSHIP.

In the qualifying round of the third annual Junior Metropolitan championship at the Plainfield, N. J., Country Club Philip V. G. Carter, last year's champion, won the honors with a very fine score of 38, 39—77. Howard W. Maxwell, Nassau, came next with 41, 39—80.

Young Carter retained his title, defeating in the final Vincent Hilton, Hackensack, by the large margin of 8 and 6, 18 holes.

The second eight was won by A. L. Pierson, Jr., Montclair, who defeated Richard Stevens, St. Andrews, in the final by 2 and 1.

The handicap event was won by A. B. Willoughby, Westfield, with 90—23, 67. John Potter, New Brunswick, was second with 97—27, 70.

The putting and approaching competition was won by Leonard S. Church, Plainfield.

WOOLEN GOLF ASSOCIATION OF NEW YORK.

President, Richard A. Strong; vice-president, George O. Leavitt; treasurer, Roger N. Arms; secretary, Frederic J. Minor.

The annual tournament was held October 16, 1914, at the Wykagyl Country Club, New Rochelle, N. Y., and the first prize was won by W. J. Conover with a low gross score of 93. In Class A he had a handicap of 6. This was the low gross score for the field.

Class A—up to 13 strokes—was won by H. R. Stockton; gross 95, handicap 9, net 86. Runner-up was E. Valentine, gross 98, handicap 8, net 90.

Class B—13 to 25 strokes—was won by E. M. Stout, gross 106, handicap 20, net 86. Runner-up was M. Underhill, gross 111, handicap 25, net 86. This being a tie, E. M. Stout won the prize by a toss of a coin.

Class C—over 25 strokes—was won by H. Howard, gross 112, handicap 26, net 86. Runner-up was D. E. Battey, gross 130, handicap 40, net 90.

This tournament was played in a driving rain, which seriously affected the scores; nevertheless, we had fifty players who completed the 18 holes.

LESLEY CUP COMPETITION.

This competition, which excites a good deal of interest always, was played at the Baltusrol Golf Club course on September 25 and 26. On Friday the Metropolitan team played against Pennsylvania. The morning round of foursomes resulted in the former winning three of the five matches. In the afternoon in the singles New York won again by 6 to 4. Summary:

SINGLES.

PENNSYLVANIA.		NEW YORK.	
E. M. Byers	0	O. Kirkby (2 and 1)	1
W. C. Fownes, Jr.	0	J. D. Travers (2 and 1)	1
G. A. Ormiston (3 and 2)	1	F. Herreshoff	0
C. B. Buxton	0	M. R. Marston (2 and 1)	1
H. W. Perrin	0	G. W. White (2 and 1)	1
J. R. Crookston (1 up)	1	A. F. Kammer	0
R. S. Worthington (3 and 1)	1	A. J. Sullivan	0
J. B. Rose	0	Roy Webb (4 and 3)	1
C. B. Webster, Jr. (4 and 3)	1	A. M. Reid	0
S. L. Jones	0	E. M. Barnes (1 up)	1
Total	4	Total	6

FOURSOMES.

PENNSYLVANIA.		NEW YORK.	
Fownes and Ormiston	0	Kirkby and Herreshoff (1 up, 20 h.)	1
Byers and Buxton (2 and 1)	1	Travers and Tiffany	0
Worthington and Crookston (5 and 4)	1	Sullivan and Webb	0
Perrin and Smith	0	Marston and White (3 and 2)	1
Rose and Washburn	0	Reid and Douglas (5 and 3)	1
Total	2	Total	3

Grand total, Pennsylvania 6
Grand total, New York 9

On the following day New York played against Massachusetts, the title-holders. Summary:

SINGLES.

NEW YORK.		MASSACHUSETTS.	
J. D. Travers	0	F. Ouimet (2 and 1)	1
Oswald Kirkby	0	R. R. Gorton (6 and 5)	1
Fred Herreshoff (1 up)	1	J. G. Anderson	0
M. R. Marston (4 and 3)	1	S. K. Sterne	1
G. W. White (3 and 2)	1	W. C. Chick	0
Roy Webb	0	F. H. Hoyt (3 and 1)	1
F. S. Douglas (2 and 1)	1	H. H. Wilder	0
A. F. Kammer (1 up)	1	P. Gilbert	0
G. P. Tiffany	0	P. Tewksbury (7 and 6)	1
E. M. Barnes	0	V. S. Lawrence (3 and 2)	1
Total	5	Total	5

FOURSOMES.

NEW YORK.		MASSACHUSETTS.	
Kirkby and Herreshoff	0	Ouimet and Hoyt (2 and 1)	1
Travers and Tiffany	0	Anderson and Sterne (1 up)	1
Marston and White (1 up)	1	Gorton and Chick	0
Webb and Kammer (6 and 4)	1	Wilder and Gilbert	0
Reid and Douglas (3 and 2)	1	Tewksbury and Lawrence	0
Total	3	Total	2

Grand total, New York 8
Grand total, Massachusetts 7

WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION OF BOSTON.

Championship tournament held at the Woodland Golf Club.

As on several occasions before, Miss Margaret Curtis won the championship title of the Women's Golf Association of Boston, defeating in the final at the Woodland Golf Club Miss Fanny C. Osgood by 2 up. Miss Curtis played a fine game and her card of 89 made a new record for women. She finished in a spectacular manner, sinking a mashie shot from about 40 yards on the home hole for a two, after an 8 at the previous hole.

THE GRISCOM CUP.

The team representing the Women's Golf Association of Philadelphia won the Griscom Cup, which was played for at the Greenwich Country Club just after the Women's Eastern Golf Association championship event. The Philadelphians defeated the Boston team in the singles by 9 points to 6. In the foursomes there was a tie, each team registering 3 points, the grand total being, Philadelphia 12, Boston 9.

New York defeated Boston in the singles by 8 points to 7, the four ball matches resulting in a tie at 3 points each.

In the final match Philadelphia defeated New York in the singles by 9 points to 6, there being a third tie in the four ball matches at 3 points each.

NEW JERSEY STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held on the course of the Morris County Golf Club, Convent, N. J.

MEMBERS.

Baltusrol Golf Club
Cape May Golf Club
Canoe Brook Country Club
Colonia Country Club
Country Club of Atlantic City
Country Club of Glen Ridge
Country Club of Lakewood
Cranford Golf Club
Deal Golf and Country Club
Englewood Country Club
Essex County Country Club
Forest Hill Golf Club
Hackensack Golf Club
Madison Golf Club
Montclair Golf Club
Morris County Golf Club
North Jersey Country Club
Princeton Golf Club
Plainfield Country Club
Ridgewood Country Club
Rumson Country Club
Somerville Golf Club
Suburban Club of Elizabeth
Upper Montclair Country Club
Westfield Golf Club
Yountakah Country Club

Charles E. Van Vleck, Jr., of Baltusrol won the low qualifying medal in the fight for premier golfing honors in the state with a fine card of 75. Five strokes behind came Max Behr of the home club, with W. E. Shackleford of Atlantic City and Oswald Kirkby, the Metropolitan champion. Van Vleck did not long survive, however, for Maurice E. Risley of Atlantic City took his measure in the second round by 4 and 2. In the finals Risley and Kirkby met. The match was at 36 holes and Kirkby, keeping up his game, defeated Risley by 4 and 2. This is the second time that Kirkby has won the state championship.

The beaten eight of the championship division was won by E. M. Wild, Cranford, who defeated Max H. Behr, Morris County, by 3 and 2.

In the second sixteen division Percy R. Pyne, 2d, defeated A. W. Maine, Jr., Hackensack, in the final by 4 and 3.

The beaten eight of the second sixteen was won by F. B. Richardson, Morris County, who defeated E. M. Barnes, Englewood, by 2 and 1.

The finals in these events were at 36 holes. The finals in the other divisions were at 18 holes. Third Sixteen—Dr. D. W. Granberry, Baltusrol, defeated W. E. Moore, Canoe Brook, 1 up (19 holes).

Beaten Eight—Third Sixteen—A. E. Taylor, Essex County, defeated H. R. Townsend, Baltusrol, 1 up (19 holes).

Fourth Sixteen—E. Shippen, Morris County, defeated E. Adams, Essex County, 4 and 3.

Beaten Eight—Fourth Sixteen—R. B. Graham, Morris County, defeated E. F. Keer, Baltusrol, 1 up.

In the handicap event W. D. Vanderpool, Morris County, was the winner of both the gross and net score prizes with 77—6, 71. He, however, took the prize for the best gross score, there being a tie for the handicap between L. Whitney, Morris County, with 90—18, 72, and F. W. Baldwin, Glen Ridge, with 81—9, 72.

In the team match, played in connection with the qualifying round, the home club won, scores being: Max Behr, 80; A. D. Swords, 82; W. P. Letchfield, 82, and W. D. Vanderpool, 83, a total of 327. Baltusrol came next, with a total of 333. Atlantic City was third, with 346, and Essex County fourth, with 383.

HUDSON RIVER GOLF ASSOCIATION.

MEMBERS.

Powelton Club, Newburgh, N. Y.
Saegkill Golf Club, Yonkers, N. Y.
Dutchess Golf and Country Club, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.
Rockland Country Club, Palisades, N. Y.
Twaalfskill Club, Kingston, N. Y.
Orange County Golf Club, Middletown, N. Y.
Hudson Golf Club, Hudson, N. Y.

OFFICERS.

President, H. M. Smith, Rockland Country Club; vice-president, W. H. Colwell, Newburgh, N. Y.; secretary, Charles F. Cossum, Dutchess Golf and Country Club; treasurer, Paul B. Rossire, Saegkill Golf Club.

The Hudson River Golf Association annual tournament was held on the course of the Twaalfskill Club at Kingston, N. Y., and was won by Harold B. Wood, Hudson, the title-holder, who defeated H. G. Phillips, Saegkill, in the 36 holes final by 5 and 3.

The second flight was won by H. S. Doty, Saegkill, who defeated J. N. Wallace, Jr., Rockland, at the thirty-ninth hole.

Carroll Moore, Saegkill, won the third sixteen flight, defeating A. H. Lockwood, Saegkill, in the final by 2 and 1.

F. Longacre, Seagkill, won the beaten eight cup in the first sixteen, defeating Dr. Osterheld, Saegkill, 5 and 4.

The gross score prize in the handicap event went to F. Longacre, with an 80, the net score prize being won by A. E. Wasson, Columbia, with 93—26, 67.

GOLF AT PINEHURST.

The Women's North and South championship was played on the No. 2 course on March 21-26. Mrs. R. H. Barlow, Merion, was the medalist, with 49, 41—90, followed by Mrs. J. R. Price, Oakmont, with 47, 48—95, and Mrs. J. V. Hurd (formerly Miss Dorothy Campbell), also with 47, 48—95.

The surprise of the meeting was the defeat in the first round of Mrs. J. V. Hurd at the hands of Mrs. William West, Huntingdon Valley, by 4 and 3. Mrs. West, however, succumbed to Miss Harvey in the second round by 3 and 2. In the final Miss Harvey defeated Mrs. Barlow by one hole. Scores:

Mrs. Barlow:										
Out	6	5	4	6	6	4	9	5	4	—49
In	4	6	4	5	5	4	5	3	5	—41—90
Mrs. Price:										
Out	7	5	5	6	6	3	6	5	4	—47
In	6	6	5	6	5	5	6	4	5	—48—95
Mrs. Hurd:										
Out	6	5	5	7	5	4	7	4	4	—47
In	6	7	5	5	5	5	5	4	6	—48—95

Summary:

CHAMPIONSHIP—FIRST EIGHT.

Mrs. R. H. Barlow, Merion	49	41— 90
Mrs. J. R. Price, Oakmont	47	48— 95
Mrs. J. V. Hurd, Hamilton	47	48— 95
Miss Florence Harvey, Hamilton	47	55—102
Mrs. E. R. Behrend, Erie	48	56—104
Miss Louise Elkins, Oakmont	52	53—105
Mrs. William West, Huntingdon	53	55—108
Miss Sarah Evans, Tedesco	53	55—108

MATCH PLAY.

First round—Mrs. R. H. Barlow d. Miss Louise Elkins, 8 and 7; Mrs. J. R. Price d. Mrs. E. R. Behrend, 1 up; Mrs. William West d. Mrs. J. V. Hurd, 4 and 3; Miss Florence Harvey d. Miss Sarah Evans, 6 and 5.

Semi-final round—Mrs. Barlow d. Mrs. Price, 3 and 2; Miss Harvey d. Mrs. West, 3 and 2.

Final round—Miss Harvey d. Mrs. Barlow, 1 up.

Second Eight, final—Miss Agnes Blancke, Montclair, d. Mrs. J. G. Ridout, Lambton, 2 and 1.

Third Eight, final—Mrs. A. A. Uebelacker, Hackensack, d. Miss Dorothy Ballantyne, Detroit, 1 up.

Fourth Eight, final—Miss P. Beall, Uniontown, d. Mrs. C. S. Watahouse, Hackensack, 2 up.

In the amateur-professional event, which preceded the North and South open championship, the winners were Mr. P. W. Whittemore, Brookline, and Walter Hagen, Rochester Country Club, with 72, 68—140. There was a tie for second place between Mr. W. H. Faust, Buffalo, and Tom McNamara, Boston, with 73, 68—141, and Mr. Chisholm Beach, Fox Hills, and Gilbert Nicholls, Wilmington, with 73, 68—141. The event was played on the No. 2 course. Following are details of the leading scores:

Hagen and Mr. Whittemore:									
Out	3	5	4	4	4	3	6	3	3—35
In	5	4	3	4	5	2	4	2	4—33—68
McNamara and Mr. Faust:									
Out	4	4	4	3	4	3	4	4	3—33
In	4	4	3	4	4	3	5	4	4—35—68
Nicholls and Mr. Beach:									
Out	5	5	4	4	4	3	5	3	2—35
In	3	4	4	5	4	2	4	3	4—33—68
MacDonald and Mr. Truesdell:									
Out	3	4	4	5	5	3	5	3	2—34
In	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	3	4—34—68

Summary:

	First			Second		Total
Walter Hagen—Mr. P. W. Whittemore	37	35	72	35	33	68—140
Thomas McNamara—Mr. W. H. Faust	38	35	73	33	35	68—141
Gilbert Nicholls—Mr. Chisholm Beach	37	36	73	35	33	68—141
R. G. MacDonald—Mr. W. E. Truesdell	38	36	74	34	34	68—142
Walter Fovargue—Mr. C. L. Becker	37	34	71	35	37	72—143
Harry Rees—Mr. R. S. Worthington	38	36	74	39	33	72—146
Donald J. Ross—Mr. E. C. Beall	38	36	74	35	37	72—146
J. J. McDermott—Mr. H. B. Lee	36	39	75	38	34	72—147
M. J. Brady—Mr. C. W. Deibel	37	37	74	35	39	74—148
Tim Carroll—Mr. Harold Weber	39	38	77	36	35	71—148
H. C. Lagerblade—Mr. J. E. Smith	36	37	73	37	38	75—148
E. K. McCarthy—Mr. W. J. Travis	37	34	71	37	40	77—148
Bernard Nicholls—Mr. Garfield Scott	38	38	76	37	36	73—149
T. S. Jones—Mr. G. T. Brokaw	39	36	75	37	37	74—149
Karl Keffer—Mr. R. F. Robinson	38	36	74	39	36	75—149
Alex Ross—Mr. H. A. Steiner	38	38	76	36	37	73—149
I. S. Mackie—Mr. F. K. Robeson	39	39	78	38	34	72—150
Barney Kelley—Mr. Percy Rothwell	38	38	76	39	36	75—151
F. A. Clarkson—Dr. C. H. Gardner	41	38	79	36	37	73—152
Eugene Wogan—Mr. E. D. Speck	39	40	79	37	38	75—154
N. Mather—Mr. J. M. Thompson	41	35	76	43	35	78—154
H. E. Williams—Mr. P. E. Gardner	39	40	79	36	39	75—154
William Wilson—Mr. W. M. Paul	40	37	77	39	39	78—155
John Peacock—Mr. Robert Hunter	36	41	77	40	38	78—155
Alex Chisholm—Mr. H. C. Fownes	41	41	82	36	39	75—157
D. E. Miner—Mr. J. D. Standish, Jr.	41	41	82	37	39	76—158

In the open championship Gilbert Nicholls, Wilmington, was the winner, with 73, 72—145, one stroke less than the winning score returned by Tom McNamara last year. J. J. McDermott, Atlantic City, was second with 75, 72—147. McDermott's score of 72 on the second day was the more remarkable by reason of the fact that he took 8 on the first hole, due to a topped tee-shot and subsequent bunker troubles. He offset this, however, in a large measure, by a magnificent 31 on the inward journey, making his total just two strokes outside of Nicholls'. Following is Nicholls' card:

Morning:

Out	5	4	4	4	4	3	7	2	4—37
In	4	5	4	4	4	3	4	3	5—36—73

Afternoon:

Out	4	5	5	3	4	3	5	3	4—36
In	4	5	4	5	4	3	4	3	4—36—72—145

Young Fillmore K. Robeson of the Pawling School led the amateurs with a very fine 79, 73—152.

SUMMARY:

PROFESSIONALS.

	First		Second		Total
Gilbert Nicholls	37	36—73	36	36—72	—145
J. J. McDermott	38	37—75	41	31—72	—147
Alexander Ross	36	38—74	38	37—75	—149
R. G. MacDonald	40	37—77	36	36—72	—149
Walter Hagen	38	38—76	35	39—74	—150
Herbert Lagerblade	36	38—74	41	36—77	—151
Thomas McNamara	39	40—79	39	34—73	—152
M. J. Brady	41	38—79	37	37—74	—153
Walter Fovargue	41	40—81	36	37—73	—154
D. J. Ross	37	39—76	41	40—81	—157
F. A. Clarkson	42	36—78	41	38—79	—157
Bernard Nicholls	40	40—80	38	39—77	—157
I. S. Mackie	42	39—81	40	37—77	—158
Thomas Bonnar	39	42—81	40	39—79	—160
Karl Keffer	40	40—80	40	41—81	—161
D. F. Miner	39	42—81	41	44—85	—166
Alex Chisholm	43	41—84	41	42—83	—167
E. K. McCarthy	40	45—85	38	46—84	—169
H. E. Williams	45	48—93	45	43—88	—181

AMATEURS.

	First		Second		Total
Mr. F. K. Robeson	39	40—79	36	37—73	—152
Mr. R. S. Worthington	40	40—80	36	40—76	—156
Mr. Paul E. Gardner	39	39—78	38	42—80	—158
Mr. Lawrence Cowing	37	40—77	44	40—84	—161
Mr. Harold Weber	41	39—80	42	39—81	—161
Mr. J. M. Thompson	41	41—82	40	42—82	—164
Mr. E. C. Beall	39	43—82	43	41—84	—166
Mr. S. D. Wright, Jr.	39	43—82	41	47—88	—170
Mr. J. D. Standish, Jr.	42	43—85	44	45—89	—174
Mr. Percy Rothwell	45	43—88	39	48—87	—175
Mr. H. B. Lee	45	46—91	41	44—85	—176
Mr. H. A. Steiner	46	42—88	42	47—89	—177
Mr. M. F. O'Connell	49	44—93	46	45—91	—184

The North and South championship, which was played on the No. 2 course on March 30-April 4, inclusive, witnessed a very fine field both in point of quality and numbers, there being no less than 166 starters. The medalist was young F. K. Robeson, Pawling School, who, however, withdrew from the match play rounds with 77, 80—157. Next came Mr. Walter J. Travis, Garden City, with 77, 81—158, followed by Mr. Reginald S. Worthington, Shawnee, with 78, 82—160. Cards:

Mr. Robeson:

Out	5	5	5	4	4	3	6	4	3—39
In	3	8	4	4	4	3	5	3	4—38—77
Out	5	6	5	6	6	3	6	4	3—44
In	4	4	5	4	4	4	4	3	4—36—80—157

Mr. Travis:

Out	6	4	4	4	5	4	5	3	4—39
In	4	5	4	4	4	4	4	3	6—38—77
Out	5	5	5	4	5	3	5	4	4—40
In	7	4	5	4	5	3	4	4	5—41—81—158

Mr. Worthington:

Out	4	5	4	5	6	3	5	3	4—39
In	4	5	5	5	4	5	5	2	4—39—78
Out	6	5	5	3	5	3	6	4	3—40
In	5	4	5	5	5	3	6	4	5—42—82—160

The first round at match play was marked by a couple of surprises in the defeat of Mr. Harold Weber, Toledo, by Mr. C. L. Becker, Woodland, by two holes, and also the elimination of Mr. Walter J. Travis, Garden City, by one hole at the hands of Mr. C. T. Dunham, Mecklenburg. Mr. Travis also, by the way, was defeated in the consolation by Mr. J. M. Thompson, Springhaven, by 2 and 1. The chief event narrowed down quite as anticipated to Mr. Reginald Worthington and Mr. Paul E. Gardner, Onwentsia, the former winning the thirty-six holes final by 6 and 5. Mr. Gardner had a lead of four holes at the tenth in the morning round, but Mr. Worthington wiped off this deficit and they retired to luncheon all square. In the afternoon Mr. Worthington got going and had no difficulty at all in winning, Mr. Gardner being quite off on his approach work.

SUMMARY:

QUALIFYING ROUND.

Walter J. Travis, Garden City	77	81—158
R. S. Worthington, Shawnee	78	82—160
Chisholm Beach, Fox Hills	77	84—161
Paul E. Gardner, Onwentsia	79	83—162
C. L. Becker, Woodland	81	82—163
Robert Hunter, Wee Burn	80	83—163
Harold Weber, Toledo	85	78—163
F. M. Laxton, Mecklenburg	79	85—164
Dr. C. H. Gardner, Agawam	87	79—166
C. T. Dunham, Mecklenburg	80	87—167
H. B. Lee, Detroit	83	84—167
J. M. Thompson, Springhaven	88	80—168
E. M. Barnes, Englewood	89	79—168
W. M. Paul, Mecklenburg	85	83—168
R. W. Harvey, Philadelphia Country	89	79—168
M. F. O'Connell, Alpine	86	83—169

MATCH PLAY.

First round—M. F. O'Connell d. R. W. Harvey, 2 and 1; Dr. C. H. Gardner d. Chisholm Beach, 1 up, 20 holes; Robert Hunter d. H. B. Lee, 2 up; P. E. Gardner d. E. M. Barnes, 7 and 5; R. S. Worthington d. F. M. Laxton, 4 and 2; C. L. Becker d. Harold Weber, 2 up; C. T. Dunham d. W. J. Travis, 1 up; W. M. Paul d. J. M. Thompson, 1 up, 19 holes.

Second round—Dr. Gardner d. O'Connell, 4 and 3; Gardner d. Hunter, 4 and 3; Worthington d. Becker, 5 and 3; Paul d. Dunham, 3 and 2.

Semi-final round—Gardner d. Dr. Gardner, 4 and 3; Worthington d. Paul, 6 and 5.

Final round (36 holes)—Worthington d. Gardner, 6 and 5.

Consolation, final—Harold Weber, Toledo, d. R. W. Harvey, Philadelphia Country, 3 and 2.

Second Sixteen, final—E. C. Beall, Uniontown, d. F. H. Gates, Lake George, 4 and 2.

Consolation, final—L. E. Wardwell, Megunticook, d. W. L. Milliken, Hyannisport, 2 and 1.

Third Sixteen, final—C. B. Hudson, North Fork, d. H. W. Croft, Oakmont, 3 and 2.

Consolation, final—E. M. Taft, Woodland, d. J. L. Walker, Hanger Hill, 2 and 1.

Fourth Sixteen, final—R. H. Hathaway, Essex County, d. F. E. Aiken, New York, 2 and 1.

Consolation, final—Wm. Sutherland, Skokie, d. R. A. Balfe, South Shore, 3 and 2.

Fifth Sixteen, final—E. B. Prindle, Ithaca, d. G. W. Watts, Durham, 4 and 2.

Consolation, final—Herbert Yuile, Royal, d. C. Comstock, National, 4 and 3.

Sixth Sixteen, final—F. S. Danforth, North Fork, d. H. R. Mallinson, Fairview, 3 and 2.

Consolation, final—B. E. Vaughan, Lexington, d. E. D. McCabe, Spring Lake, 4 and 2.

Seventh Sixteen, final—W. M. Campbell, Crescent, d. A. M. Clark, Youngstown, 5 and 4.

Consolation, final—R. Foote, New Haven, d. E. B. Pratt, Boston, by default.

Eighth Sixteen, final—F. H. Boardman, Crescent, d. J. E. Mountain, Plymouth, 2 up.

Consolation, final—T. R. Scott, Glen Ridge, d. H. S. Bachman, Suburban, 7 and 6

MASSACHUSETTS AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Brae Burn Country Club.

It was Francis Ouimet all the way last year in the try for premier honors. Leading the field as medalist, he really had only one stiff match, which was with the former intercollegiate champion, W. C. Chick, of the home club, in the second round, when he only defeated him 1 up. Summary:

Qualifying scores—Francis Ouimet, Woodland, 77; R. R. Gorton, Brae Burn, 80; V. S. Lawrence, Woodland, 82; W. C. Chick, Brae Burn, 82; R. C. Lehane, Commonwealth, 82; P. W. Whittemore, Brookline, 82; B. W. Estabrook, Brae Burn, 83; R. D. Pierce, Brae Burn, 83; S. K. Sterne, Tatnuck, 83; L. E. Paton, Homestead, 83; C. T. Dunham, North Adams, 83; H. H. Wilder, Brookline, 83; G. H. Lyall, Bellevue, 84; F. H. Hoyt, Woodland, 84; R. M. Purves, Woodland, 84; F. A. Martin, Brae Burn, 85; R. S. Lyons, Albemarle, 85; T. M. Claflin, Brookline, 85; W. H. Cady, Brae Burn, 85; G. H. Pushee, Brae Burn, 85; J. B. Hylan, Vesper, 85; A. E. Burr, Brae Burn, 86; Parker Schofield, Albemarle, 86; C. W. Davis, Brae Burn, 86; H. R. Townsend, Brae Burn, 86; J. G. Anderson, Brae Burn, 87; H. A. Roark, Albemarle, 87; A. J. Wellington, Woodland, 87; W. E. Stiles, Brae Burn, 87; Raymond Ouimet, Woodland, 88; I. W. Small, Belmont, 88; B. W. Godsoe, Woodland, 89; J. B. Chase, Woodland, 89; C. M. Hart, Wollaston, 89.

First round—Hylan d. Lehane, 6 and 5; Schofield d. Wellington, 6 and 5; Whittemore d. Claflin, 4 and 2; Purves d. Dunham, 3 and 2; Chase d. Martin, 3 and 2; Pushee d. Godsoe, 2 up; Chick d. Davis, 5 and 4; Francis Ouimet d. Burr, 6 and 4; Lawrence d. Anderson, 6 and 5; Raymond Ouimet d. Roark, 1 up; Sterne d. Wilder, 2 up; Gorton d. Lyall, 2 up; Lyons d. Paton, 1 up, 19 holes; Hart d. Cady, 4 and 3; Estabrook d. Pierce, 4 and 3; Hoyt d. Stiles, 5 and 4.

Second round—Schofield d. Hylan, 2 up; Whittemore d. Purves, 4 and 3; Pushee d. Chase, 2 and 1; Francis Ouimet d. Chick, 1 up; Lawrence d. Raymond Ouimet, 4 and 2; Gorton d. Sterne, 3 and 2; Lyons d. Hart, 3 and 2; Estabrook d. Hoyt, 4 and 2.

Third round—Whittemore d. Schofield, 4 and 3; Ouimet d. Pushee, 5 and 3; Gorton d. Lawrence, 4 and 2; Estabrook d. Lyons, 3 and 2.

Semi-final round—Ouimet d. Whittemore, 2 up; Gorton d. Estabrook, 7 and 6.

Final round—Francis Ouimet, Woodland, d. R. R. Gorton, Brae Burn, 5 and 4.

The Massachusetts State golf team, without the services of one or two of its strongest units, managed to "squeak" through its annual match with the Rhode Island team, played at the Brae Burn Country Club, West Newton, Mass., September 19. Of the fifteen points possible, ten at singles and five at foursomes, Massachusetts won fourteen. Summary:

SINGLES.

MASSACHUSETTS.		RHODE ISLAND.	
F. Ouimet (5 and 3)	1	C. H. Gardner	0
P. W. Whittemore (5 and 3)	1	R. H. Hovey	0
W. C. Chick	0	H. E. Kenworthy (1 up)	1
F. H. Hoyt (5 and 3)	1	Jesse Linton	0
H. H. Wilder (6 and 5)	1	R. P. Bullock	0
P. Gilbert (3 and 1)	1	F. B. Davis	0
V. S. Lawrence (1 up)	1	H. Congdon	0
G. H. Lyall (7 and 5)	1	H. W. Davenport	0
P. Tewksbury (3 and 2)	1	J. L. Tetlow	0
T. M. Claflin (3 and 2)	1	J. A. Gammons	0
Totals	9	Totals	1

FOURSOMES.

MASSACHUSETTS.		RHODE ISLAND.	
Ouimet and Hoyt (7 and 5)	1	Gardner and Congdon	0
Gorton and Wilder (1 up, 19 holes)	1	Hovey and Davis	0
Chick and Tewksbury (8 and 7)	1	Kenworthy and Davenport	0
Lyall and Gilbert (6 and 4)	1	Bullock and Linton	0
Claflin and Lawrence (3 and 1)	1	Tetlow and Gammons	0
Totals	5	Totals	0

	Massachusetts.	Rhode Island.
Total foursomes	5	0
Total singles	9	1
Grand Total	14	1

PHILADELPHIA GOLF ASSOCIATION.

Pater et Filius Tourney.

On September 5 the annual Pater et Filius Tournament of the Golf Association of Philadelphia was played over the course of the Philmont Country Club, and an unusually large entry resulted. C. B. Webster, paired with his son, G. S. Webster of Frankford, won the trophy. It is worthy of note that last year Webster, playing with his eldest son, C. B. Webster, Jr., captain of the University of Pennsylvania golf team, carried off the honors. The scores follow:

C. B. and G. S. Webster, Frankford:

Out	5	3	4	6	5	5	6	4	6—44
In	5	4	6	4	8	4	5	4	5—45—89

Handicap, 16. Net, 73.

H. and E. J. Wendell, St. David's:

Out	5	5	5	4	5	5	7	5	6—47
In	4	3	7	5	5	4	4	3	5—40—87

Handicap, 12. Net, 75.

J. B. and H. C. McCall, Philadelphia Country Club:

Out	6	4	5	3	4	4	5	5	6—42
In	7	7	4	5	5	4	4	4	5—45—87

Handicap, 10. Net, 77.

E. R. and S. E. Sharwood, Merion Country Club:

Out	7	3	5	4	6	4	6	5	5—45
In	4	5	5	5	4	6	6	3	5—43—88

Handicap, 11. Net, 77.

W. H. Myers and W. H. Myers, Jr., St. David's:

Out	5	4	5	4	5	5	7	6	5—46
In	5	5	5	5	10	5	4	4	5—48—94

Handicap, 17. Net, 77.

	Out.	In.	Total.	Hcp.	Net.
W. and F. Sargeant, Merion	43	42	85	7	78
B. and H. Wasserman, Philmont	55	54	109	29	80
C. F. and C. F. Kindt, Old York Road	50	48	98	18	80
G. W. and H. P. Statzell, Aronimink	43	49	92	11	81
E. S. and E. S. Thorpe, Jr., Moorestown	47	47	94	12	81
S. and M. D. Rosenau, Philmont	53	59	112	30	82
S. J. and C. J. Allen, Moorestown	57	43	100	18	82
E. P. and C. W. Newkirk, Philadelphia Cricket	55	48	103	21	82
H. D. and F. K. Reese, Springhaven	53	52	105	19	86
R. and T. H. Lewis, Frankford	57	43	105	18	87
F. F. and J. G. Hallowell, St. David's	55	48	103	16	87
E. D. and J. M. Hemphill, West Chester	54	45	99	12	87
H. B. and H. B. Newton, Jr., Frankford	47	51	98	10	88
B. S. and F. Thorpe, Frankford	53	56	109	21	88
E. and E. O'Neill, Jr., Frankford	52	56	108	19	89
J. V. and J. V. Hastings, Jr., Merion	51	55	106	17	89
E. A. and L. R. Gimbel, Philmont	58	60	118	27	91
I. J. and I. J. Williams, Jr., Philadelphia	55	54	109	18	91
H. L. and R. David, North Hills	52	60	112	20	92
J. J. and J. J. Keenan, Jr., Lansdowne	49	57	106	14	92
D. and H. B. Swope, Merchantville	54	51	105	13	92
H. H. and E. S. Burrell, Stenton	54	58	112	19	93
A. J. and A. W. Gilmour, Frankford	55	59	114	20	94
F. T. and R. B. Buckfus, Frankford	53	57	110	16	94
J. F. and J. F. Meehan, Jr., North Hills	57	52	109	15	94
G. H. and D. H. Simmerman, North Hills	55	62	117	22	95
H. B. and E. W. Hirsh, Philmont	65	64	129	33	96
G. C. and G. C. Spooner, Jr., Moorestown	66	63	129	17	112
W. H. and F. Wolstencroft, Frankford	68	74	142	27	115

WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP OF PHILADELPHIA.

For the third time Mrs. R. H. Barlow won the Philadelphia Women's Championship. It is evident she is in a class by herself, for in the qualifying

round her nearest competitor was 12 strokes away. Mrs. Barlow's card was 44, 42—86. She met in the finals Mrs. C. H. Vanderbeck, whom she defeated by 3 and 2.

Mrs. A. K. Billstein won the beaten eight cup, eliminating Miss H. Ethel Maule by 2 and 1.

PHILADELPHIA OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Whitemarsh Valley Country Club, September 16 and 17.

Tom McNamara of Boston won rather easily with a total of 302 for the seventy-two holes, and, by the way, this is the first time that the championship has been decided over so long a route.

The association this year increased the prize moneys, and as a consequence a very fine field competed. Isaac Mackie, the eastern open champion, was second, closely followed by Walter Hagen, who had won the national open title less than a month before. The scores follow:

FIRST PRIZE, $160.

Tom McNamara, Boston:

Out	4	5	5	4	5	4	4	6	3—40
In	3	5	3	4	5	4	4	5	4—37—77
Out	5	5	5	5	4	3	5	4	4—40
In	4	4	4	4	3	5	3	5	4—36—76—153
Out	4	4	5	5	4	4	4	5	4—39
In	4	5	4	3	4	4	3	4	4—35—74
Out	3	5	5	4	5	3	4	4	4—37
In	5	5	3	5	5	4	3	4	4—38—75—149—302

SECOND PRIZE, $100.

Isaac Mackie, Fox Hills:

Out	4	5	5	4	5	4	5	4	3—39
In	4	6	2	4	5	3	4	4	4—36—75
Out	5	5	5	4	6	7	4	5	4—45
In	4	6	4	4	4	4	3	4	4—37—82—157
Out	4	4	4	4	5	4	4	5	4—38
In	4	5	4	4	4	4	4	5	4—38—76
Out	4	4	5	3	5	4	4	4	4—37
In	7	4	3	4	4	5	3	5	4—39—76—152—309

THIRD PRIZE, $70.

W. P. Hagen, Rochester:

Out	4	5	5	5	5	5	5	6	2—42
In	4	6	5	5	4	4	3	5	5—41—83
Out	4	4	5	3	4	4	4	5	3—36
In	3	5	4	4	4	4	3	3	5—35—71—154
Out	4	5	5	3	4	4	5	4	2—36
In	4	5	5	4	3	4	4	3	5—37—73
Out	4	5	7	4	5	6	4	5	4—44
In	7	5	3	4	4	5	3	4	4—39—83—156—310

FOURTH PRIZE, $40.

Louis Tellier, Canoe Brook:

Out	4	5	8	4	5	4	3	6	3—42
In	4	5	3	4	4	4	3	5	4—36—78
Out	5	5	5	4	6	4	4	5	3—41
In	4	5	3	6	4	4	3	5	4—38—79—157
Out	3	5	7	4	6	5	4	6	3—43
In	4	5	4	4	6	4	3	4	3—37—80
Out	3	5	5	4	5	4	5	4	3—38
In	4	4	3	4	4	5	3	5	4—36—74—154—311

FIFTH PRIZE, $20.

Herbert Strong, Inwood:									
Out	5	5	7	5	5	4	4	6	4—45
In	4	6	3	6	4	5	3	5	5—41—86
Out	4	5	6	3	4	4	4	5	2—37
In	4	5	4	5	4	5	3	6	4—40—77—163
Out	4	4	6	3	4	4	5	5	3—38
In	5	5	3	3	3	4	4	5	5—37—75
Out	4	4	6	3	5	4	5	4	3—38
In	4	5	3	3	5	4	3	4	5—36—74—149—312

SIXTH PRIZE, $10.

Joe Mitchell, Upper Montclair:									
Out	4	4	5	4	5	4	4	5	4—39
In	5	5	3	4	4	5	3	4	5—38—77
Out	6	4	6	4	5	4	3	5	2—39
In	4	5	5	4	4	4	3	4	4—37—76—153
Out	5	5	5	4	5	3	5	5	4—41
In	5	5	6	4	4	4	3	6	5—42—83
Out	4	3	5	3	6	3	4	5	3—36
In	5	5	4	4	4	5	4	5	5—41—77—160—313

	1st	2d	3d	4th	Total
McDermott, Atlantic City	78	78	81	77	314
Barnes, Whitemarsh	78	79	81	76	314
Loving, Arcola	80	78	80	77	315
Campbell, Springhaven	78	78	80	79	315
McLeod, Columbia	81	77	82	78	318
Campbell, Old York Road	76	76	83	83	318
C. H. Hoffner, unattached	79	86	78	75	318
G. W. Hoffner, unattached	82	82	75	87	326
Jolly, Newark	88	78	83	78	327
Sayers, Merion	78	79	88	83	328
Sprogell, Philmont	81	78	78	91	328
French, York	89	78	81	81	329
Kenney, Olean	83	80	80	86	329
Nicholls, Wilmington	83	83	82	83	331
Thompson, Philadelphia C. C.	90	82	81	80	333
Hackney, Pocono	81	84	84	86	335
Mr. G. Crump, Pine Valley	85	83	83	85	336
Anderson, New London	89	83	82	88	342
Jervis, Seaview	89	87	88	84	348
Hunter, Whitemarsh	82	90	92	86	350

EASTERN WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Greenwich Country Club, Greenwich, Conn.

This championship was pulled off in rather poor golfing weather—rain and wind playing havoc for a couple of days with the scoring. At the conclusion of the first round a former United States champion, Mrs. H. A. Jackson (née Kate Harley), led with a brilliant 83. No one came anywhere near her. On the second day, owing to the weather conditions, it was thought 90 would not be equaled, but again the dopesters were beaten, for she came in again with a well-earned 89, giving her a total of 172 for the 36 holes. The second place went to Miss Fanny Osgood with 181, nine shots behind.

RHODE ISLAND CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Rhode Island Country Club, Nayatt, R. I., September 4-12.

Seventy-seven players faced the starter and no player of any note in the state was absent. No low scoring was done, 80 not being broken. Dr. Gardner, who finally won, was sixth in the list of qualifiers with rounds of 89 and 87. D. Fairchild, a former Rhode Island champion, won the medal

trophy with a total of 164. The winner of the championship proved to be Dr. C. H. Gardner, Agawam, who defeated J. Linton, Pawtucket, by 8 and 6.

Second sixteen, final, 18 holes—A. W. Hancock, Metacomet, d. V. Eldred, Silver Spring, 3 and 2.

Third sixteen, final, 18 holes—W. C. Clark, Misquamicut, d. H. A. Boss, Metacomet, 8 and 7.

Fourth sixteen, final, 18 holes—M. A. DeWolf, Silver Spring, d. H. A. Waldron, Metacomet, 5 and 4.

Beaten eight, first sixteen, final—H. E. Kenworthy, Metacomet, d. C. Shartenberg, Pawtucket, 2 up.

CONNECTICUT GOLF ASSOCIATION.

OFFICERS.

President, Julian W. Curtiss; vice-president, W. H. Race; secretary and treasurer, Richard Wayne, Hartford, Conn.; state captain, Robert Abbott.

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Brooklawn Country Club, Bridgeport, Conn.
Farmington Country Club, Farmington, Conn.
Greenwich Country Club, Greenwich, Conn.
Hartford Golf Club, Hartford, Conn.
Highland Country Club, Meriden, Conn.
Naugatuck Golf Club, Naugatuck, Conn.
New Britain Golf Club, New Britain, Conn.
New Canaan Country Club, New Canaan, Conn.
New Haven Country Club, New Haven, Conn.
Norwich Golf Club, Norwich, Conn.
Quotonset Golf Club, Westbrook, Conn.
Race Brook Country Club, Derby, Conn.
Ridgefield Country Club, Ridgefield, Conn.
Wallingford Country Club, Wallingford, Conn.
Waterbury Country Club, Waterbury, Conn.
Wee Burn Golf Club, Noroton, Conn.
Sound Beach Golf and Country Club, Sound Beach, Conn.
Bantam River Golf Club, Litchfield, Conn.

The sixteenth annual championship of the Connecticut Golf Association was held at the Hartford Golf Club, Hartford, Conn., June 24-27, 1914. The following is the summary:

Low Medal score—Percy Rothwell, Hartford Golf Club, 72, 76—148.

Championship—W. P. Seeley, Brooklawn, C.C., d. W. F. Whitmore, Hartford G.C., 9 and 8.

Four-ball Foursomes—R. H. Deming, Hartford; Richard Wayne, Hartford. Gross, 68. Handicap, 8½. Net, 59½.

Team championship and custody of Converse cup for one year won by Brooklawn team, which consisted of: Robert Abbott, N. W. Wheeler, W. P. Seeley, S. D. Bowers, and R. E. Sprott.

One-day Fall Tournament, held September 12, 1914, New Haven Country Club course:

A. G. McIlwaine, Hartford G.C., first. Best, 36 holes. Gross, 163.
F. K. English, New Haven C.C., first. Best, 36 holes. Net, 143.

NEW HAMPSHIRE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held on the Abenaqui Golf Club course.

Only eight qualified for the New Hampshire title and the Slayton cup which goes with it. Sixty started, and it was the concensus of opinion that those in charge should change conditions so that 16 should be allowed to qualify. The medalist was J. A. Guilford of Intervale, who finished the round five shots ahead of his nearest competitor, yet was unable to go through, the winner turning up in the person of C. W. Bass of Portsmouth, who defeated C. J. Chase of Concord by 3 and 2 in the finals.

Handicap; leading gross scores—C. W. Bass, Portsmouth, C.C., 72; Jack Parker, Manchester, 75; L. Frost, Concord, 81; E. C. Tarbell, Portsmouth, 81. Leading net

scores—F. E. Dranke, Abenaqui, 89—26, 63; C. W. Bass, Portsmouth, 72—6, 66; E. K. Woodworth, Concord, 82—16, 66; Jack Parker, Manchester, 75—8, 67; L. Frost, Concord, 81—14, 67; F. McColl, Portsmouth, 82—15, 67.

WHITE MOUNTAIN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Waumbek Golf Club, Jefferson, N. H., August 26-28.

J. D. Standish, Jr., of Detroit, was returned the winner for the White Mountain championship after the tightest kind of a match with H. C. Richard of St. Andrews. At no stage of the game was there more than a hole between them, and at the eighteenth they finished all square. On the extra hole, however, Standish had the break and won.

EASTERN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Played on the Shawnee Golf Club course, July 14-15.

Exactly half a hundred players started for the honor, among whom were two amateurs. The field was a very good one, indeed. Isaac Mackie of Fox Hills led the field the first day, accumulating a sterling 149 for the two rounds. Continuing his good work the second day, he finished leader by two shots. Summary:

	1st	3d	4th	Total
Isaac Mackie, Fox Hills	149	77	79	305
Joe Mitchell, Upper Montclair	151	73	83	307
J. M. Barnes, Whitemarsh	154	78	76	308
Tom Anderson, Montclair	155	82	75	312
Mike Brady, Wollaston	159	75	79	313
Alec Smith, Wykagyl	156	82	76	314
Walter Hagen, Rochester	157	81	77	315
Herbert Strong, Linwood	158	79	78	315
R. G. McDonald, Buffalo	165	76	76	317
Charles Hoffner, Atlantic City	157	81	80	318
A. Campbell, Springhaven	158	82	81	321
J. Thomson, Philadelphia Country Club	167	80	76	323
C. B. Hackney, Pocono	165	79	80	324
J. Ferguson, Spring Lake	161	87	78	326
Tom Kerrigan, Dedham	160	85	81	326
J. Mulligan, Wyoming Valley	161	83	82	326
Fred McLeod, Columbia	159	83	85	327
L. Tellier, Canoe Brook	160	80	88	328
Peter Robertson, Yahundas	162	84	83	329
G. Sargent, Chevy Chase	167	78	85	330
George Low, Baltusrol	167	80	83	330
Tom Skipper, Pittsfield	166	81	83	330
Alex Campbell, Brookline	167	83	81	331
Mr. R. S. Worthington, Shawnee	170	79	83	332
Dave Hunter, Essex County	163	82	87	332
C. Anderson, Shenconsett	177	79	77	333
Emmett French, York	167	82	84	333
Elmer Loving, Arcola	170	87	80	337
George Sayers, Merion	175	81	82	338
Jack Hackney, Aronimink	172	86	81	339
W. Entwistle, New Brunswick	171	87	83	341
Jack Jolly, unattached	167	87	90	344
George Hoffner, unattached	177	88	91	356

VIRGINIA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Played at the Hermitage Golf Club course, Richmond, Va.

The state championship of Virginia was won by W. H. Palmer, Jr., with a score of 156 for the 36 holes. The next best scores were: W. P. Wood, 163; R. H. Meade, 165; H. S. Jones and James McMenamin, 166; Phil. Prescott and Mayo Binford, 167. McMenamin won the championship a year ago at Hampton and the previous year at Norfolk.

MIDDLE ATLANTIC GOLF ASSOCIATION.

Membership limited to regularly organized clubs in Maryland, District of Columbia, Delaware and Virginia.

MEMBERS.

Baltimore Country Club, Roland Park, Baltimore, Md.
Bannockburn Golf Club, Chevy Chase, Md.
Chevy Chase Club, Chevy Chase, Md.
Columbia Country Club, Chevy Chase, Md.
Country Club of Virginia, Richmond, Va.
Elkridge Hunt Club, Woodbrook, Baltimore, Md.
Hampton Roads Golf and Country Club, Newport News, Va.
Hermitage Golf Club, Richmond, Va.
Maryland Country Club, Baltimore, Md.
Norfolk Country Club, Norfolk, Va.
Washington Country Club, Washington, D. C.
Wilmington Country Club, Wilmington, Del.

The annual championship tournament of this association was held over the course of the Country Club of Virginia, Richmond, Va., May 21 to 23, inclusive, and was won by George Small of the Baltimore Country Club after a close match, which went 19 holes, with Douglas Call of the home club. Small also had a good win in the semi-finals over Ballantyne of Columbia, the holder of the championship.

W. H. Palmer, Jr., of the Country Club of Virginia defeated J. C. Davidson of Columbia in the final of the beaten eight of the championship.

The second flight was won by E. T. Orgain of the home club, championship division:

First round—James McMenamin d. James Walsh, 7 and 6; P. M. Prescott, Jr., d. William H. Palmer, 1 up, 19 holes; W. C. Ballantyne d. H. C. Peck, 6 and 4; George Small d. William P. Wood, 6 and 5; Douglas Call d. L. L. Harban, 3 and 2; Rives Fleming d. George P. James, 2 and 1; H. C. Bridgers d. R. H. Pritchett, 3 and 1; John A. Branch d. John C. Davidson, 1 up.

Second round—Prescott d. McMenamin, 3 and 1; Small d. Ballantyne, 1 up; Call d. Fleming, 2 and 1; Bridgers d. Branch, 7 and 5.

Third round—Small d. Prescott, 3 and 2; Call d. Bridgers, 2 and 1.

Final round—George Small d. Douglas Call, 1 up, 19 holes.

Consolation—William H. Palmer d. John C. Davidson, 1 up.

The Team Trophy Contest, scores in qualifying round to count; winning team, Columbia Country Club:

E. B. Eynon, Jr., 171; George P. James, 173; John C. Davidson, 171; L. L. Harban, 169; W. C. Ballantyne, 174; total, 858.

The annual team match contest was held on the course of the Baltimore Country Club, October 8 and 9. Eight teams of six players entered.

The Baltimore Country Club team was returned winner, defeating the Columbia Country Club in the finals. The consolation cups were won by the Chevy Chase Club and the Norfolk Country Club.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA GOLF ASSOCIATION.

The first golf championship of the District of Columbia Golf Association, which was played at the Columbia Country Club, was won by W. R. Tuckerman, Chevy Chase, with a total score for the 72 holes of 332. Next came Dr. Lee L. Harban, Columbia, with 328. Other scores:

George P. James, Columbia, 82, 88—170, 330; Representative W. S. Reyburn, Chevy Chase, 83, 80—163, 330; Samuel Dalzell, Chevy Chase, 86, 79—165, 330; Lee L. Harban, Columbia, 87, 81—168, 336; Representative W. R. Oglesby, Chevy Chase, 88, 81—169, 336; John H. Clapp, Chevy Chase, 81, 87—168, 336; F. H. Ellis, Chevy Chase, 86, 82—168, 339; Alpheus Winter, Columbia, 87, 84—171, 342; Otis H. Wood, Columbia, 79, 88—167, 342; John W. Brawner, Columbia, 85, 89—174, 343; A. S. Mattingly, Columbia, 92, 88—180, 343; G. T. Cunningham, Bannockburn, 87, 92—169, 344; L. W. Weaver, Columbia, 92, 88—180, 350; Daniel K. Jackson, Columbia, 88, 89—177, 352. Last one of sixteen—Donald Woodward, Columbia, 91, 85—176, 358; Dr. H. P. Cobey, Washington Country Club, 92, 88—180, 360; A. B. Shelton, Columbia 85, 94—179, 364; E. G. Parker, Bannockburn, 92, 92—184,

366; Dr. Loren B. T. Johnson, Washington Country Club, 93, 91—184, 367; Harris N. Brown, Columbia, 90, 92—182, 367; Irving E. Smith, Columbia, 95, 93—188, 372; Thomas J. W. Brown, Bannockburn, 105, 92—197, 379; George E. Truett, Washington Country Club, 101, 89—190, 385; G. A. Rankin, Bannockburn, 94, 102—196, 388.

CAROLINA GOLF ASSOCIATION.

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Charleston Country Club, Charleston, S. C.
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Georgetown Golf Club, Georgetown, S. C.
Greensboro Country Club, Greensboro, N. C.
Mecklenburg Country Club, Charlotte, N. C.
Raleigh Country Club, Raleigh, N. C.
Ridgewood Club, Columbia, S. C.
Sans Souci Country Club, Greenville, S. C.
Spartanburg Country Club, Spartanburg, S. C.

The championship was held at Asheville, N. C., June 23-25. Edward F. Mayberry of Charleston Country Club proved the winner; runner-up, F. M. Laxton of Mecklenburg Country Club, Charlotte, N. C.

Winner of team cup, 1914—Charleston Country Club.

The championship for 1915 will be held at Charleston, S. C.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE GOLF ASSOCIATION.

The annual tournament of this association was held at the Fox Hills Golf Club. The winner was E. Martineau Barnes. The next in order were J. D. Simons and D. H. McAlpin.

The officers of the club are: President, Howard H. Henry; treasurer, W. W. Wallace; secretary, John G. Bates; executive committee, the above and Louis Livingston, H. H. Meyer, C. S. Lee and C. Russell Auchincloss.

AMERICAN GOLF ASSOCIATION OF ADVERTISING INTERESTS.

The annual golf championship of the American Golf Association of Advertising Interests was held at Hot Springs, July, 1914. Summary:

Championship flight—L. A. Hamilton, National, d. J. J. Hazen, Oakland, 6 and 4, 36 holes.

Second division—T. E. Conklin, Scarsdale, d. J. R. Mix, St. Andrews, 7 and 5.

Third division—F. S. Smith, Westward Ho, d. T. A. Moran, Exmoor, 5 and 3.

Fourth division—K. O. Chisholm, Essex County, d. S. D. Flood, Skokie, 6 and 4.

Consolation winners—First, D. M. Parker, Garden City; second, F. S. Mann, South Shore, Chicago; third, F. S. Voss, Dunwoodie; fourth, F. L. E. Ganss, Siwanoy.

"Down-and-Out" flights—First: H. R. Mallinson, Fairview, winner; W. C. Freeman, Englewood, runner-up. Second: J. Barber, Englewood, winner; W. C. McMillan, Scarsdale, runner-up. Third: G. D. Buckley, Scarsdale, winner, and W. H. Rankin, runner-up.

Special events: Stars and Stripes tourney, in two classes—Best net, Class A: C. A. Speakman, Siwanoy, 81—10, 71.

Qualification round for championship—Class A: L. A. Hamilton, National, Medallist, 75; R. L. Whitton, Beverly, low net, 85—15, 70. Class B: W. M. Ostrander, Dunwoodie, low gross, 84; W. D. Wright, Woodland, low net, 86—2, 84.

Blasted Hopes Handicap (A. M.)—Low gross, won by S. K. Evans, Knollwood, 79; low net, A. R. Gardner, Dunwoodie; second net, H. C. Milholland, Oakmont. (P. M.):

Low gross, A. J. Watson, Dunwoodie, 82; low net, W. C. Izor, New York; second net, A. P. O'Brien, Wykagyl.

Four-day best average net prize won by Roger Hoyt, Upper Montclair, with total of 277 net. F. H. Ralsten, Scarsdale, 280.

Best putting score for men during week, 18 holes—A. J. Watson, F. S. Sisson, and W. L. Hotchkin at 37. Sisson won the play-off.

Women's prize won by Mrs. W. S. Bird, Dunwoodie, 36.

Novice putting prize won by Mrs. Edward Rode, Dunwoodie, 42.

Women's Handicap—Won by Mrs. F. S. Mann, South Shore.

Women's Qualification—First net, Mrs. K. O. Chisholm; second net, Mrs. J. M. Thorsen; third net, Mrs. J. C. Martin.

Women's Championship—First Division: Winner, Miss Jane F. Lloyd; runner-up, Mrs. A. S. Higgins.

Second Division—Winner, Mrs. Mallinson; runner-up, Mrs. Mann.

First Consolation—Winner, Mrs. W. B. Lashar.

Second Consolation—Winner, Mrs. T. A. Moran.

Saturday Handicap—First net, Mrs. W. S. Bird; second net, Mrs. F. L. E. Gauss.

ENGINEERS' GOLF ASSOCIATION.

The Engineers' Golf Association is composed of golfing members of the Engineers' Club of New York City and its membership exceeds one hundred playing members. Six events are played during the year on the courses in the Metropolitan district. The first tourney was held at Oakland on May 12. Summary:

Class A—First: Eads Johnson; net, 86. Second: E. M. Sawtelle; net, 91. Class B—First: C. A. Goodspeed; net, 82. Second: J. G. Wright; net, 84. Class C—First: C. G. M. Thomas; net, 78. Second: D. A. Fox; net, 80.

Low Gross—Class A: F. C. Newton, 81. Class B: C. R. Ellicott, 92. Class C: W. O. Wood, 105. Foursomes—First: C. G. M. Thomas and W. W. Nichols; net, 168. Second: C. I. Earll and H. T. Shriver; net, 169.

At Canoe Brook on June 3. Summary:

Class A—First: E. M. Sawtelle, 85—10, 75. Second: N. M. Garland, 89—10, 79. Class B—First: K. I. Small, 93—20, 73. Second: Charles Baskerville, 92—18, 74. Class C—First: W. O. Wood, 92—22, 70. Second: C. I. Earll, 93—22, 71.

Thomas Trophy, selected 9 holes—S. C. Munoz, 32. Kickers' Trophy—F. C. Newton, 81, 5—86.

Foursomes—First: E. N. Chilson and F. L. DuBosque, 186—38, 148. Second: C. A. Goodspeed and B. G. Braine, 196—44, 152. W. O. Wood, C. I. Earll, B. G. Braine tied for First Class C.

At Knollwood on July 14, 1914. Summary:

Class A—First: W. L. Conwell, 82—8, 74. Second: F. E. Lally, 86—8, 78. Class B—First: E. N. Chilson, 84—16, 68. Second: K. I. Small, 84—17, 67. Class C—First: F. A. Scheffler, 100—32, 68. Second: C. G. M. Thomas, 94—23, 71.

Hedley Trophy—N. M. Garland, 76. Johnson Trophy—M. G. Starrett, 76. Mullaney Trophy—R. Devens, 79. Kickers' Handicap—Charles Baskerville.

Foursomes—First: R. Devens and E. N. Chilson, 142. Second: C. E. Bailey and B. G. Braine, 145.

J. G. Bateman tied with C. G. M. Thomas for second in Class C. N. M. Garland and W. L. Conwell tied for Hedley trophy.

At Garden City on August 11, 1914. Summary:

Class A—First: E. M. Sawtelle, 97—8, 89. Second: F. E. Donohoe, 97—8, 89. Class B—First: Charles Baskerville, 94—14, 80. Second: A. S. Pitt, 95—14, 81. Class C—First: T. I. Jones, 107—24, 83. Second: W. I. Babcock, 106—22, 84.

Beran trophy, net 36 holes—R. Devens, 207—42, 165. Zimmerman trophy-flag contest—W. O. Wood. Kickers' Handicap—J. G. Wright.

Foursomes—First: C. I. Earll and C. A. Goodspeed, 196—39, 157. Second: J. H. Dinwiddie and P. McJunkin, 228—58, 170.

At Scarsdale on September 15, 1914. Summary:

Class A—First: K. I. Small, 91—12, 79. Second: T. Symington, 91—12, 79. Class B—First: C. A. Goodspeed, 93—17, 76. Second: A. H. Blackburn, 97—18, 79. Class C—First: Theodore Beran, 109—36, 73. Second: H. N. Latey, 110—34, 76.

Shriver trophy, net 36 holes—J. H. Pardee, 213—66, 147. Devens trophy—R. G. Hughes, 35. Kickers' Handicap—Charles Baskerville.

Foursomes—First: H. N. Latey and C. B. Keys, 215—64, 151. Second: C. M. Wales and F. Hedley, 202—44, 158.

A. H. Blackburn and R. G. Hughes tied for second prize in Class B. H. N. Latey and J. H. Dinwiddie tied for second prize in Class C after J. H. Pardee, who was second, elected to take the Shriver trophy.

At Essex County on October 6, 1914. Summary:

Class A—First: F. E. Donohoe, 82—9, 73. Second: N. M. Garland, 80—7, 73. Class B—First: A. H. Blackburn, 85—16, 69. Second: H. S. Hayward, Jr., 90—16, 74. Class C—First: B. C. Kenyon, 91—21, 70. Second: J. H. Dinwiddie, 94—22, 72.

McJunkin trophy—H. T. Shriver. Draper trophy—T. F. Mullaney, 31 putts. Special trophy, 36 holes—J. G. Wright, 182—38, 144. Special trophy, 18 holes—D. A. Fox, 74. Kickers' Handicap—A. S. Pitt.

Foursomes—First: W. W. Nicholls and E. H. Strickler, 187—34, 153. Second: B. C. Kenyon and H. S. Hayward, Jr., 194—39, 155.

D. A. Fox, C. M. Wales, and B. G. Braine tied for Special trophy. B. C. Kenyon and H. S. Hayward, Jr., tied with L. F. Braine and V. C. Armstrong for second foursome prize.

SEASON PRIZES—1914.

Name on J. G. White cup: B. G. Braine. Name on Quincy cup: N. M. Garland. Low gross—First, N. M. Garland, 157; second, F. C. Newton, 162. Low net—First, R. Devens, 187—50, 137; second, M. G. Starrett, 174—36, 138.

DuBosque trophy, 6 low net—Class A, K. I. Small, 453. Lally trophy, 6 low net—Class B, C. I. Earll, 449. Conwell Trophy, 6 low net—Class C, F. A. Scheffler, 448. Earll trophy—Class C, Paul McJunkin. Committee trophy—Consolation, B. G. Braine, 139.

Special prizes were kindly donated during the season by F. L. DuBosque, F. E. Lally, W. L. Conwell, C. I. Earll, the committee, C. G. M. Thomas, C. B. Keyes, A. S. Pitt, J. G. Wright, W. C. Dickerman, Frank Hedley, Eads Johnson, T. F. Mullaney, W. F. Zimmerman, Theodore Beran, R. Devens, H. T. Shriver, Paul McJunkin, and G. O. Draper.

EASTERN LUMBER TRADE GOLF ASSOCIATION.

OFFICERS.

President, Frank Buck, Philadelphia, Pa.; vice-president, Frank W. Lawrence, Boston, Mass.; treasurer, William Henry Smedley, Frankford, Philadelphia, Pa.; secretary, Horace A. Reeves, Jr., 1420 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

The annual meeting of the association was held at Richmond, Va. Summary:

First Consolation—Semi-finals: Smedley d. Buck, 3 and 1; Wistar d. Troth, 3 and 2. Final: Smedley d. Wistar, 3 and 2.

Second Consolation—Semi-finals: Witherbee d. Rider, 3 and 2; Meeks d. Nixon, 7 and 6. Final: Meeks d. Witherbee, 2 up.

Third Consolation—Semi-finals: Naus d. Janny, 1 up; Barr d. Pope, 6 and 5. Final: Barr d. Naus, 1 up.

Fourth Consolation—Semi-finals: Bowers d. Caskey, 3 and 1; McAleer d. Sizer, 3 and 2. Final: Bowers d. McAleer, 3 and 1.

Fifth Consolation—Semi-finals: Benson drew bye; Roe drew bye. Final: Roe d. Benson, 1 up.

Sixth Consolation—Semi-finals: Adams drew bye; Fry drew bye. Final: Adams.

EIGHTS.

First—E. B. Humphries d. Buck, 2 and 1; Philbrick d. Smedley, 1 up; Stiles d. Wistar, 4 and 2; McFarland d. Troth, 2 up.

Second—Burton d. Rider, 5 and 3; Shearer d. Witherbee, 1 up, 19 holes; Hale d. Nixon, 5 and 4; Hopkins d. Meeks, 3 and 2.

Third—Cape d. Janny, 4 and 3; Fry d. Nauss, 2 up; Wright d. Barr, 2 and 1; Turnbull d. Pope, 1 up.

Fourth—Sanders d. Bowers, 1 up; Reeves d. Caskey, 4 and 3; Bickford d. Sizer, 3 and 2; H. Humphries d. McAleer, 1 up, 19 holes.

Fifth—Fritz d. Benson, 4 and 3; Donaldson drew bye; Hollawell d. Roe, 3 and 2; Hazard drew bye.

Sixth—Tilghman drew bye; Schofield d. Adams, 2 up; Smedley drew bye; Comegys drew bye.

SEMI-FINALS AND FINALS.

First eight—E. B. Humphries d. Philbrick, 1 up; Stiles d. McFarland, 4 and 2. Final—Stiles d. Humphries.

Second eight—Shearer d. Burton, 4 and 3; Hopkins d. Hale, 2 and 1. Final—Hopkins d. Shearer, 5 and 4.

Third eight—Fry d. Cape, 2 up; Wright d. Turnbull, 2 and 1. Final—Fry d. Wright, 2 and 1.

Fourth eight—Reeves d. Sonder, 3 and 2; H. Humphries d. Bickford, 4 and 3. Final—Reeves d. Humphries, 3 and 2.

Fifth eight—Donaldson d. Fritz, 2 up; Hollawell d. Hazard, 1 up, 19 holes. Final—Donaldson d. Hollawell, 2 and 1.

Sixth eight—Howard Tilghman d. Schofield, 3 and 2; W. H. Smedley d. Comegys, 1 up. Final—Smedley d. Tilghman, 6 and 5.

"BLASTED HOPES" HANDICAP TOURNAMENT.

Buck, 89—17, 72; Cape, 104—14, 90; Bickford, 92—20, 72; Sizer, 102—20, 82; Troth, 100—15, 85; Janny, 106—20, 86; Philbrick, 108—20, 88; Rider, 95—14, 81; Turnbull, 95—16, 79; Nixon, 102—20, 82; Schofield, 108—30, 78; Fritz, 103—24, 79. Tie between Buck and Bickford; Buck won the toss-up.

TEAMS.

First (Philadelphia)—Macfarland, Jr., 92; H. W. Smedley, 88; Wistar, 89; Burton, 97. Total, 366.

Second (Philadelphia)—Reeves, 108; Troth, 93; Fry, 98; Buck, 92. Total, 391.

Third (Boston)—Witherbee, 95; Stiles, 89; Philbrick, 90; Hale, 96. Total, 370.

Fourth (New York)—Rider, 96; Cape, 100; Bickford, 105; Barr, 101. Total, 402.

Best gross qualifying round—H. W. Smedley, 88 and 89.

Best net qualifying round—Winner: Meeks, 97—30, 67.

President's prize (72 holes, handicap)—Winner: Hopkins, 70, 70, 70, 70—280.

Championship—Won by E. B. Humphries, 88 and 86—174.

SCOTTISH-AMERICAN GOLF CLUB.

The Scottish-American Golf Club had another successful season during 1914, enrolling more American born golfers than in any previous year of the club's history.

The principal club competitions were won as follows: Spring meeting—Class A, William Erskine, runner-up J. D. Ahearn; Class B, John Inglis, runner-up T. C. Hughes; Challenge Cup, Paul T. Haber, runner-up T. C. Peters. Aggregate gold medal for best three scores out of the six monthly medal competitions was won by Paul T. Haber after a tie with A. S. Morrison. Cup presented by the president, Andrew Bell, was won by H. B. Dunn, who defeated P. T. Haber in the final by 3 and 1. Captain Haber's cup was won by Walter Peebles, who defeated James Lang in the final by two holes, the winner returning a fine card of 71.

Fall meeting—Class A, W. Peebles, runner up D. McCallum; Class B, W. R. Francis, runner-up W. S. Chapman, Sen.

In the first inter-club tournament of the clubs which use Van Cortlandt links the Scots were unfortunate through business reasons to have only five entries, but one of these, T. T. Loomis, captured the medal for the best net score. W. D. Patterson put up a great fight before relinquishing the Herald Cup, as he carried the ultimate winner to the nineteenth hole, and the latter had to play the best golf of the tournament to win, as "Billy" turned in a card of 72. Considering that Patterson had not been playing golf all season and just arrived from Europe two days before the competition started, he gave quite a good account of himself. Walter Peebles won the club championship, defeating J. D. Ahearn in the final by 1 up. In the Van Cortlandt championship W. Peebles won the medal for the low score in the qualifying round with a card of 73, but was defeated later in the competition by Theodore F. Warner of the New York Golf Club.

The New York Golf Club defeated the Scots twice during the year in the annual club matches, getting revenge for previous trimmings received at the hands of the Scots.

Four members of the club played a private match in full Highland costume, being accompanied around the links by John Frazer, who played

Scottish and American airs on the bagpipes. The players who took part in this match were W. D. Patterson, R. B. Peters, Gordon Frazer and William Erskine. This innovation proved so popular that it is the intention of the club to run off a competition in the coming year for members dressed in the garb of old Gaul, when it is expected that at least thirty will participate.

At the annual meeting, held in Caledonian Hall, the following officers were elected. President, H. B. Dunn; vice-president, J. D. Ahearn; secretary-treasurer, William Erskine, 21 West 125th Street; captain, Andrew Bell; board of governors, T. T. Loomis, M. McLean, William Martin, G. F. Walker, R. Peters, and G. Frazer.

EASTERN INTERCOLLEGIATE GOLF ASSOCIATION.

For the first time since the intercollegiate championship was instituted in 1896, Princeton won the team title when it defeated the Harvard forces by the narrow margin of 5 points to 4 in the final match on the links of the Garden City Golf Club, after a victory over Yale by a similar margin.

Heretofore Yale and Harvard have shared the title between them, with Yale the continual holder for the last nine years. Princeton has been runner-up on six occasions, but that was all more than a decade ago. This is the first time Princeton and Harvard have met in the final since 1903, when Harvard won.

In the preliminary matches Yale defeated Williams, 7 points to 2, and Princeton defeated Cornell, 6 points to 1; Harvard defeated Pennsylvania, 8 points to 1, and Princeton defeated Yale, 5 points to 4. Summary:

FOURBALL MATCH.

PRINCETON.		HARVARD.	
G. A. Peacock and J. B. Rose	1	Ed. P. Allis, 3d, and J. W. Hubbell	0
L. M. Washburn and R. M. B. Fay	1	S. W. Canan and J. G. Heyburn	0
W. A. Barber, Jr., and W. A. Lowrie	0	R. M. Baker, Jr., and S. P. Griffitts	1
Total	2	Total	1

Match-play summary—Peacock and Rose d. Allis and Hubbell, 1 up, 19 holes; Washburn and Fay d. Canan and Heyburn, 3 and 1; Baker and Griffitts d. Barber and Lowrie, 1 up, 21 holes.

SINGLES.

PRINCETON.		HARVARD.	
R. N. B. Fay	0	Ed. P. Allis, 3d	1
L. M. Washburn	1	J. W. Hubbell	0
H. A. Peacock	1	S. W. Canan	0
J. B. Rose	1	J. G. Heyburn	0
W. A. Lowrie	0	S. P. Griffitts	1
W. A. Barber, Jr.	0	R. M. Baker, Jr.	1
Total	3	Total	3
Grand total	5	Grand total	4

Match-play summary—Allis d. Fay, 1 up; Washburn d. Hubbell, 2 and 1; Peacock d. Canan, 4 and 3; Rose d. Heyburn, 1 up; Griffitts d. Lowrie, 2 and 1; Baker d. Barber, 6 and 5.

TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP.

Yale d. Williams, 7 and 2; Princeton d. Cornell, 8 and 1. Princeton d. Yale, 5 and 4; Harvard d. Pennsylvania, 8 and 1. Princeton d. Harvard, 5 and 4.

INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

Qualifying scores—E. P. Allis, 3d, Harvard, 80; J. B. Rose, Princeton, 80; R. deZ. Pierce, Yale, 81; F. S. Gaines, Yale, 82; W. H. Gardner, 2d, Yale, 82; S. P. Griffitts, Harvard, 82; R. N. B. Fay, Princeton, 82; C. B. Webster, Jr., Pennsylvania, 84; C. T. Lansing, Cornell, 85; L. M. Washburn, Pennsylvania, 86; P. W. Gleason, Williams, 86; Prescott S. Bush, Yale, 87; John DeWitt, Cornell, 88; John G. Heyburn, Harvard, 88; C. H. Lovett, Pennsylvania, 89; L. L. Bredin, Yale, 89.

First round—Allis d. Lansing, 4 and 3; Gaines d. DeWitt, 1 up; Griffitts d. Lovett, 3 and 2; Pierce d. Gleason, 1 up, 19 holes; Gardner d. Bush, 4 and 3; Webster d. Bredin, 2 and 1; Fay d. Heyburn, 3 and 1; Washburn d. Rose, 3 and 2.

Second round—Allis d. Gaines, 3 and 2; Pierce d. Griffitts, 4 and 3; Webster d. Gardner, 5 and 4; Washburn d. Fay, 2 up.

Semi-final round—Allis d. Pierce, 2 and 1; Washburn d. Webster, 1 up.
Final round—E. P. Allis, 3d, Harvard, d. L. M. Washburn, Princeton, 11 and 10, 36 holes.

During the tourney the Intercollegiate Golf Association held its annual meeting and elected W. Hamilton Gardner, 2d, of Yale, president, to succeed Edward P. Allis, 3d, of Harvard, who will be graduated next June.

John Marshall, Jr., of Williams, was re-elected secretary, and C. W. B. Townsend of Pennsylvania treasurer. The 1915 championship will be held over the links of the Apawamis Club, at Rye.

PENNSYLVANIA AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Oakmont Country Club course.

One of the upsets of the season was witnessed at Oakmont when Croft of the Oakmont club, who is rated at 9 on the state list, went through a field of amateur players vieing for the championship, which included such cracks as W. C. Fownes, Jr., Eben Byers, George Ormiston, defeating J. B. Crookston of Stanton Heights in the finals by the substantial lead of 5 and 3. George Ormiston of Oakmont won the low qualifying medal with 153.

PENNSYLVANIA OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Oakmont Country Club.

Macdonald Smith, that sterling young golfer from Carnonstie, added another trophy to his already large collection by the capture of the blue ribbon of Pennsylvania. He led the field by no less than seven shots, his nearest competitor being Jack Hutchinson of Allegheny. Scores:

Macdonald Smith, Oakmont:										
Out	4	4	4	4	4	2	4	3	5—34	
In	5	3	5	3	5	4	5	4	4—38—72	
Out	5	5	4	4	4	3	4	4	4—37	
In	6	4	6	2	5	4	4	3	4—38—75—147	
Jack Hutchinson, Allegheny:										
Out	5	3	6	5	4	3	4	3	4—37	
In	4	4	6	4	4	5	4	4	5—40—77	
Out	4	4	4	4	4	4	5	3	5—37	
In	4	5	5	4	4	5	4	4	5—40—77—154	
Fred Brand, Mt. Lebanon:										
Out	5	4	4	4	6	3	4	3	3—36	
In	5	4	5	4	4	4	4	4	4—38—74	
Out	5	4	4	5	5	4	4	4	6—41	
In	5	4	6	4	5	5	3	4	6—42—83—157	

Other good scores were:

Charles Rowe, Beaver Valley	80	81—161
Dave Robertson, Sharon	83	79—162
Mr. H. W. Perrin, Merion	80	84—164
Emil Loeffer, Oakmont	86	79—165
Mr. C. B. Buxton, Huntingdon Valley	81	85—166
Mr. W. C. Fownes, Jr., Oakmont	84	82—166
Willie McBride, Shenley Park	83	83—166

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Allegheny Country Club, Sewickley, Pa.

A new golfing star has appeared in western Pennsylvania, the luminary being Lawrence D. Blair, a member of the Pittsburgh Golf Club. Though playing for a period of ten years, he has never shown any remarkable ability until last year. Qualifying ninth with a 36-hole total of 164, he ran through his field in good style, winning the finals from Eben M. Byers by 2 and 1.

A. K. Oliver, Allegheny, won the beaten eight in the championship flight, defeating F. H. Darragh, Beaver Valley, in the final, 1 up.

The second sixteen was won by J. H. Harding, Oakmont, who defeated B. S. Horne, Allegheny, in the final, 3 and 1. The beaten eight was won by J. C. Dilworth of Allegheny.

The third sixteen was won by William Callery, Allegheny, who defeated A. R. Maxwell, Field Club, in the final, 3 and 2. The beaten eight was won by H. E. Chilcoat, Bellevue.

The fourth sixteen went to S. B. Ralston, Bellevue, who defeated H. P. Goff, Thornburg, in the final, 4 and 2. The beaten eight went to J. R. Wood, Field Club.

The fifth sixteen was won by E. Redman, Thornburg, who defeated F. D. Hurst, Bellevue, in the final, 4 and 3. The beaten eight was won by J. W. Lawrence, Oakmont. Summary:

Qualifying scores—E. M. Byers, Allegheny, 155; P. H. Preston, Stanton Heights, 155; J. B. Crookston, Stanton Heights, 156; G. O. Evans, Uniontown, 159; E. E. Giles, Oakmont, 159; J. B. Speer, Allegheny, 160; F. H. Darragh, Beaver Valley, 161; L. D. Blair, Pittsburgh G.C., 164; J. H. Reed, Oakmont, 165; J. F. Byers, Allegheny, 165; E. Hoopes, Allegheny, 167; R. C. Long, Stanton Heights, 168; M. D. Ritchie, Oakmont, 168; C. L. Childs, Allegheny, 169; A. K. Oliver, Allegheny, 169; J. Graham, Stanton Heights, 170.

First round—Preston d. Ritchie, 3 and 2; Crookston d. Oliver, 4 and 3; Hoopes d. Speer, 2 and 1; Blair d. Reed, 1 up; E. M. Byers d. Childs, 4 and 3; Long d. Evans, 1 up, 21 holes; J. F. Byers d. Darragh, 3 and 2; Giles d. Graham, 3 and 1.

Second round—Preston d. Crookston, 1 up, 19 holes; Blair d. Hoopes, 5 and 3; E. M. Byers, d. Long, 1 up, 20 holes; J. F. Byers d. Giles, 3 and 2.

Semi-final round—E. M. Byers d. J. F. Byers, 1 up; Blair d. Preston, 3 and 2.

Final round—Lawrence D. Blair, Pittsburgh G.C., d. E. M. Byers, Allegheny, 2 and 1.

WOMEN'S EVENT.

In the women's event Mrs. J. V. Hurd, formerly Miss Dorothy Campbell, won the title, defeating Mrs. J. R. Price in the final by 4 and 3. In the final of the second flight Mrs. Thomas Hucknall defeated Mrs. Louis Brown, 1 up in 19 holes.

OPEN.

Jack Hutchinson, Allegheny retained the open title as he led the field with 69, 73—142. Charles Rowe, Beaver Valley, and E. M. Byers tied for second place with 147 for each.

GOLF AT THE PITTSBURGH FIELD CLUB.

By H. R. Livingston.

The Pittsburgh Field Club has broadened extensively its sphere of activity. This, the oldest athletic organization in western Pennsylvania, bids fair to be the premier golf and country club of the state, and its new home of 171 acres near Aspinwall, on the Squaw Run and Fox Chapel Roads, is easy of access from the Smoky City.

With an ideal location and the ardent efforts of an energetic committee of 30, confident of success, a wave of enthusiasm has been moving which has spread through all athletic circles of the district.

The Pittsburgh Cricket Club, the parent of the present Field Club, was organized in 1882 and took up its official quarters at the well-known Brushton grounds, where for thirty-two years it had added to and taken part in field and track games which have a place in the history of Pittsburgh.

The Royal and Ancient game was first played in 1900, although not as a regular and accepted part of the club's activities until 1903.

Under the presidency of the popular sportsman, John B. Tonkin, and with 400 members and a large waiting list, the club will continue its activities, the new course being already laid out and scheduled to be completed and in

readiness for use by May 1, 1915. A commodious clubhouse will crown the highest eminence in the southwest corner of the property and lend itself as a coign of vantage for a panoramic view of the whole of the grounds, commanding details of the first ten and last three holes.

The course itself is one of the finest natural courses in the country, both from the sporting and scenic points of view, being particularly rich in natural advantages.

The undulatory contour with occasional long level stretches and gently sloping greensward, as well as wooded portions and babbling brooks, add to the charm of the environment and makes a glorious future for the club assured.

A list of the holes, with lengths and bogey, will perhaps convey in the most concise manner the best idea of the course. The length of the course is as follows: 1—415 yards, 2—375 yards, 3—125 yards, 4—500 yards, 5—275 yards, 6—400 yards, 7—350 yards, 8—440 yards, 9—375 yards, 10—350 yards, 11—340 yards, 12—600 yards, 13—165 yards, 14—360 yards, 15—400 yards, 16—225 yards, 17—390 yards, 18—330 yards, total 6,415 yards.

Particular mention should be made of the twelfth and thirteenth holes. The former will have a very large slightly undulating putting green somewhat elevated, with a running brook separating it from the downward sloping fairway. The latter has already been christened "Gibraltar," and the successful one-shot drive must cross a brook, pass over trees and fall on the green on the summit of a perpendicular cliff. Obviously, an excellent, well-favored course, it is eagerly anticipated by all local lovers of the game.

And now all the members anxiously await the summer of 1915, which will see the old club in its new home, and a new era in its history and, it is believed, in the history of golf in the vicinity of Pittsburgh will have commenced.

CENTRAL NEW YORK GOLF LEAGUE.

The championship of this league was held in Utica, New York. Glenn Cole, Elmira Country Club, was winner of the individual matches. Dr. Neville of Auburn was the runner-up. The Binghamton Country Club was the winner of the team matches, with the Elmira Country Club runner-up and being defeated by one point. T. I. Case of Auburn won the approaching and putting contest. John G. McDowell, Elmira, won the long drive. Henry Dunn of Albany won the individual handicap. Emerick of Oswego and Ferris of Auburn tied for the best gross score during the tournament and on the play-off Emerick won. Mrs. Henry Rosenbaum and Charles A. Bowman won the mixed foursomes.

EASTERN TRADE GOLF ASSOCIATION.

The spring tournament of this association in 1914 was held at the Dunwoodie Golf Club, Dunwoodie, N. Y., May 19. Results: 18-hole medal play handicap won by Stephen Roberts; 18-hole match play against bogey won by R. B. Hunt; 18-hole best ball foursome won by R. G. Hauswell and D. H. Roney.

The mid-summer tournament was held at the Forest Hill Field Club, Forest Hill, N. J., August 17. Results: 18-hole medal play handicap won by W. M. Cosgrove; match play against bogey won by George M. Scott; 18-hole best ball foursome won by R. B. Hunt and A. S. Armagnac.

Special tournament held at Atlantic City, June 10, 1914. Results: 18-hole medal play handicap won by William H. Thayer; 18-hole handicap best ball foursome sweepstakes won by C. S. Wood and E. J. Hughes; 18-hole match play against bogey won by J. B. Garfield.

The autumn tournament was held at the Upper Montclair Country Club, Upper Montclair, N. J., October 6. Results: 18-hole medal play handicap won by W. G. Gilmour; 18-hole match play against bogey won by A. S. Armagnac, and 18-hole best ball foursome won by J. E. Rutzler and A. H. Ross.

EASTERN INTERSCHOLASTIC GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

Played at the Scarsdale Country Club, May, 1914.

Qualifying round—Philip Carter, Pawling, 75; F. K. Robeson, Pawling, 76; F. L. Slade, Lawrenceville, 82; W. T. Badham, Lawrenceville, 86; L. J. Watts, Lawrenceville, 89; H. K. Downey, Maplewood, 91; C. L. Maxwell, Lawrenceville, 94; Homer Goff, Pawling, 94; J. W. Lelashes, Cathedral, 94; V. K. Hilton, Pawling, 97; R. G. Holtz, Lawrenceville, 99; A. D. Silk, Waverly, 104; R. S. Wormser, Stamford, 117.

Philip Carter, Pawling, defeated William T. Badham, Lawrenceville, in final round by 6 and 4. Pawling won the team championship for the third successive year with a score of 342. Lawrenceville was second with 351.

In a team match Pawling beat Hotchkiss 8 to 3. The line-up:

Carter, 3—Leisenring, 0; Robeson, 2—Winter, 0; Hilton, 3—Finkenstaedt, 0; Goff, 0—Robinson, 3.

Pawling also beat Lawrenceville in a team match, 6 to 4:

Carter, 3—Maxwell, 0; Robeson, 3—McCormick, 0; Hilton, 0—Dean, 2; Roome, 0—Newman, 2.

NEW YORK NEWSPAPER GOLF CLUB.

The New York Newspaper Golf Club officially, by designation of the park commissioner of the Bronx, Thomas W. Whittle, opened the golfing season at Van Cortlandt Park on May 1, 1914. The one-day tournament and monthly qualifying round held on that day was a success in every way. The winners of competition were H. Grantland Rice, low gross score; C. F. Parish, Dave Hall and H. V. Mardfin, low net, of which Parish was the subsequent winner in the play-off.

The custom of the club has been to hold monthly tournaments at Van Cortlandt Park in which the players, according to the number that qualify, are divided into sixteens. A supplementary activity is the monthly one-day tournaments which the club holds at some nearby private course, to which the club members are invited by the officers of these clubs.

The May competition ended as follows: First sixteen, Fred Hawthorne, winner; Edgar L. Laverty, runner-up; second sixteen, H. B. Martin, winner; A. Hedley, runner-up; third sixteen, H. A. Haines, winner; C. L. Fletcher, runner-up.

The first of the invitation tournaments was held at Wykagyl Country Club, New Rochelle, a medal play round at handicap, which was won by F. K. Flaugh, who was tied with A. P. Roth; and the team prize went to H. G. Rice and McConoughy.

Subsequent competitions and the winners follow:

June qualifying round—Winner, F. K. Flaugh. Haworth medal play tournament—Fred Hawthorne, winner. Team prize to Parish and Pritchett.

June match play—Club championship won by C. L. Fletcher; F. K. Flaugh, runner-up. First sixteen won by A. P. Roth; Flaugh, runner-up. Second sixteen won by Hawthorne; Igoe, runner-up. Third sixteen won by W. J. Haywood; H. V. Mardfin, runner-up.

July match play—First sixteen won by A. Hedley; Gifford, runner-up. Second sixteen won by P. L. Campbell; Orvis, runner-up.

August 10, Invitation tournament at Dunwoodie—Team play won by Haines and J. H. Williams; second, Benzinger and F. J. Pope.

August 25, Invitation tournament, Siwanoy—Won by C. F. Laux and Dave Hall; J. C. Flinn and Fred Hall, second; and Fred Clements, low net score.

August match play—First sixteen won by F. T. Pope. Second sixteen won by F. J. Pope.

September tournament—Qualifying won by W. J. Haywood.

Match play—First sixteen won by A. C. Murray; second sixteen won by C. F. Parish; third sixteen won by C. A. Daily.

The Press Championship calls for special mention. This highly successful event, inspired and carried to a successful conclusion through the efforts of Harry A. Haines, was played over the links of the Dunwoodie Country Club, at Yonkers, N. Y. A cup was purchased and donated to the New York Newspaper Golf Club to place in competition open to all newspaper workers

of New York City, the conditions being medal play over 72 holes. The tournament was held on successive Mondays, with special competitions for those failing to qualify within the first eight. The results of this tournament follow: Winner, W. W. Harris, *Sun;* and in order of finishing, J. C. Flinn, H. G. Rice, P. B. Lucas, A. C. Murray, H. A. Haines, J. G. Logan, and A. Hedley. The qualifying round handicap was won by A. C. Murray, and the match play consolation was won by A. J. Gifford; F. J. Pope, runner-up. Harris of the *Sun* will hold possession of the cup for one year. Permanent possession follows three times winning.

Through the generosity of the club's president, George L. Cooper of the *Evening Telegram*, a beautiful cup was placed in competition, to be the property of the member winning it twice. Play is at handicap match play. C. A. Daily won the qualifying medal; and the final match play, 36 holes, was won by F. K. Flaugh; E. B. Davis, *American*, runner-up. In the consolation sixteen J. C. Flinn was the winner, and A. J. Gifford, runner-up.

The Cooper Cup competition concluded the regular season, although a special field day competition in conjunction with one held by the Newspaper Tennis Association, took place on November 15. The winners of special events were Dave Hall, low net score; F. K. Flaugh, driving, and F. J. Pope, flag contest.

LEAGUE OF THE LOWER LAKES.

The tournament last year was combined with the Sixteenth Annual Amateur Tournament (formerly called Western New York Championship) and the Buffalo Country Club defeated the Detroit 14 to 2. The tournament was won by W. A. Gardner, 2d, and Henry Marcy was runner-up.

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National.—Mrs. H. Arnold Jackson.
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Eastern.—Mrs. H. Arnold Jackson.
Western.—Mrs. Harry D. Hammond.
Southern.—Mrs. Frank Graham Jones.
Boston District.—Miss Margaret Curtis.
Philadelphia District.—Mrs. Ronald H. Barlow.
North and South.—Miss Florence L. Harvey.
Rhode Island.—Mrs. Henry Watson.
Western Pennsylvania.—Mrs. J. V. Hurd.
Pacific Northwest.—Miss Violet Pooley.
California.—Miss Alice Warner.
Higgins Trophy (team).—Los Angeles Country Club.
Griscom Cup (team).—Philadelphia.
British.—Miss Cecil Leitch.
French.—Miss Cecil Leitch.
Canadian.—Miss Florence L. Harvey.

Coming Events Cast Their Shadows Before

U. S. G. A. AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP—
Detroit Country Club, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich.,
August 30 to September 4 inclusive.

U. S. G. A. WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP—
Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill.,
September 6 to 11 inclusive.

U. S. G. A. OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP—
Baltusrol Golf Club, Baltusrol, N. J.
June 15 to 18 inclusive.

W. G. A. AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP—
Mayfield Country Club, Cleveland, Ohio,
July 19 to 24 inclusive.

W. G. A. OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP—
Glen Oak Country Club, Glen Ellyn, Ill.,
August 18 and 19.

M. G. A. AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP—
Apawamis Club, Rye, N. Y.,
June 2 to 5 inclusive.

M. G. A. OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP—
Fox Hills Golf Club, Stapleton, S. I., N. Y.,
July 8 and 9.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA G. A. CHAMPIONSHIP—
Midwick Country Club, Pasadena, Cal.,
April 7 to 10 inclusive.

PANAMA-PACIFIC CHAMPIONSHIPS—
AMATEUR—San Francisco Golf and Country Club,
April 19 to 24 inclusive.
WOMEN'S—May 3 to 8 inclusive at same club.

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Hints to the Green Committee

GENTLEMEN:

Wishing to be of some assistance to you, as many times Green Committees are at a loss to find out where they may be able to find someone who will give them information relative to the care and maintenance of their golf course in general, we wish to say that we shall be only too pleased, upon application, to answer questions that may arise with you from time to time in connection with the care of putting greens or fair greens.

Our experience in this department is certainly very extensive, and as a result of long, practical experience, we are in a position to give the very best advice possible.

We are probably responsible for 50 per cent of the golf courses in the United States of America, if not a greater number than that, and we can save you money by assuring you that when work is done by us it is the result of years of attention given to this particular department of the game.

There are many who essay this task, who have no earthly idea of economy, and who are entirely regardless of the exorbitant charges they saddle on clubs who have sought their services, yet are loud in their attestations of their ability to do better than anyone else. A good golf course is largely a matter of evolution, and it is foolish to go to work and spend tens of thousands of dollars upon a golf course in its inception in this part of the world, when the resultant conditions make a good deal of the work done of no value [illegible]r. Many do this, with other people's money, who are placed on Gr[illegible] Committees for a short term, for they know their responsibility e[illegible]s with their term in office. Remember climatic conditions are vastly different on this broad continent. What does for one part of the country will certainly not do for another. Soils vary also, and adaptation must ever be taken into account. Remember you have as fine grasses in your own country as can be found anywhere. Don't imagine you require to go abroad to get grass that will give you perfect greens, and for that reason pay exorbitant prices for the same. Exercise a little common sense in this matter the same as you do in the running of your business, for you know that when your books are wrong in your accounting department you naturally look for the services of not an ordinary bookkeeper, but an expert. It will save you money in the long run by getting the very best and we can assure you we can provide it. Never mind the many reasons that advertisers of grass seed are using for their unprecedented prices of grass seed, owing, some claim, to drought in Europe, and thereby charge twice as much as the seed is worth. You have all the grass seed at your own door for this purpose without paying such fancy prices. Never mind the seed doctor stunt, which is an "ad" gotten up to pull wool over your eyes. No grass seed is passed on a perpetually moving belt before the sharp eyes of girls trained to the work, who have the ability to fasten on intruding weeds. This may be all right for beans and peas, etc., but not for grass seed. Yet this sort of literature is gotten up to create the impression among those who do not know that this is the *modus operandi* pursued by some as a pretext for charging such exorbitant prices for grass seed. Such a course is never pursued. It's impossible commercially.

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Our experience embraces a period in this country of over twenty years, doing work in practically every State of the Union. Our charges are moderate indeed, and if we can serve you in any shape or way either in laying out new golf courses, remodeling old ones, looking over land with a view to proving its adaptability for this purpose, telling you what seed to sow, how to sow it, and supplying you with it at a reasonable cost, or, as to the maintenance of your course, bunkering the same, etc., etc., we shall be well satisfied.

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HINTS ON LAYING OUT A GOLF COURSE.

Very little has been written on the subject of laying out golf courses, and rightly so, by the numerous scribes who have added to the large and ever increasing number of books on the subject of golf. No doubt, they all realized that it was a subject upon which more mistakes could be made in a minute than could be remedied in years, and very wisely refrained. Were conditions the same everywhere the task would be a comparatively easy one, but as they are not this is what makes it almost impossible. We have no intention, therefore, of laying down any hard and fast lines to go upon, but merely give some general ideas of what is requisite.

The acreage necessary for a nine-hole course of an average length of about 3,000 yards is about 45 acres. This will give about two or three acres space for club house and the amenities thereof. Of course, for an 18-hole course, with the added attractions usually to be taken care of in a proposition of such magnitude, 100 acres is none too much. Understand, however, this is on land that is practically free from any large quantity of trees. Of course, if a park effect is wanted in connection therewith the acreage will have to be largely increased.

The ideal land for a golf course, be it a 9- or 18-hole one, is land of an undulating nature, having some natural attractions in the nature of a stream meandering through it, or some good elevations, which can be all used to splendid advantage. The ideal soil is of sandy loam with a gravelly subsoil, but as this cannot always be had, a good golf course may be laid out on nearly any kind of farm land. Of course, the exercise of a little judgment is absolutely necessary as to the placing of the greens to the best possible advantage.

If the ground has been under cultivation there is no other course open but that the whole should be plowed up. Previous to the plowing, all fences and other lines of demarcation between fields should be thoroughly removed, as well as all stones and other debris, when the whole then can be thoroughly harrowed preparatory to seeding.

If fertilizing of the soil is necessary the best thing that can be done is to spread some rotted stable manure on the ground before the plowing has been resorted to and seeing to it that the whole is well turned in.

When the harrowing has been done satisfactorily, the ground should then be seeded. As the seeding is a matter of the very greatest importance no chances should be taken, but the best advice obtainable on this subject should be had. False economy practiced at a time like this in the sparing of the quantity of seed sown will be a disappointment.

This does not mean necessarily that you are to go and pay all kinds of fancy prices for so-called imported mixtures that are being advertised from time to time, and which, by the way, are not nearly as good as the native grasses produced in our own country. Why should they be, when climatic conditions and adaptability—the two chief factors with regard to satisfactory growth—are so vastly different. No; but there is an old axiom common to agriculturists which is to the effect that if you do not put it on the ground you may never expect to take it off, and when the right kind of seed has been procured suitable to the soil it should be sown at the rate of at least from 100 to 125 pounds per acre.

If the ground, however, has been lying fallow, or in pasture of any kind, there is no need for being so radical in the preparation of the

soil, as it is infinitely better to keep what you have got in the way of turf, however poor it may be, than go to the unnecessary expense of undoing what Nature has taken probably years to do and which can, by little attention, be improved 100 per cent. A disc harrow at a time like this will do wonders and the best thing to do is to see to it that the ground is thoroughly disced, care being taken that the discs are not set at such an angle that the turf is displaced, the object being merely to cut it. This will have the effect of breaking up the soil and stimulating in it chemical action, thereby making available a great many properties which are natural to the soil itself. When this has been done, then some good commercial fertilizer can be used, after which seeding and rolling may be indulged in. Seeding on ground so treated should be at the rate of 50 pounds to the acre.

The staking out of the course should be the next thing that should occupy the attention of the committee in charge of this work, and we would strongly advise here again that the best advice possible should be got on this subject—having an expert who has been accustomed to do this kind of work for years, and not any Tom, Dick or Harry who perhaps has not laid out a golf course in his life but who may have pretensions to be able to play the game in a capable manner; yet, when it comes to utilizing ground to the best possible advantage he is fairly at sea. See to it that the length of the holes should be such as will call for the best efforts of the golfer and that the holes are of such playing length that credit is given to good playing and that the mediocre player will find himself exactly in the class to which he belongs; in other words, that the holes will be of such a length that there will be no possibility whatever of a man making a mistake and being able to catch up to his opponent without being penalized for his misplay. The object of the expert who is laying out your grounds should be to start in with a hole of considerable length and continue with the same idea in mind so as to avoid congestion and to allow the players to get very well spread out before he comes to shorter holes. A good hole to start in with is probably one about 460 yards, not bringing in any short holes until probably about the sixth or seventh. This will give a field a chance to be thoroughly well spread out and preclude in a very great measure the possibility of congestion occurring at the first tee. If it is an 18-hole course that is needed it is a good idea always to bring back the ninth hole to the club house, starting out again at the tenth tee and bringing back the eighteenth to the club house again.

We would strongly advise, however, for those who intend to have a golf course laid out in connection with any club, that the services of an expert be got and that the matter be placed unreservedly in his hands, as it will certainly save a great deal of money to the club contemplating such action. It is false economy to suppose that any man can do this kind of work simply because he happens to play golf, and clubs have proven this to their discomfiture many a time.

Rolling of Greens

Devereux Emmet of Garden City some time ago had an article in "Golf," which many of our green committee men would do well to heed. There is more concentrated common sense in it than it has been my good fortune to have read in golfing magazines for many a day. I believe one feels a little diffident to rush into print, as advice along this line can rarely ever be general in this country owing to its vast size and the variety of adaptation and climatic condition that prevails, yet the condition that many of our golf courses are found in from time to time after a torrid spell, or after a severe winter, impels one to ask the question—is there not a cause? I believe there is, and from my own observation, Mr. Emmet strikes the keynote of the whole matter when he says that our fair greens are becoming root bound, hermetically sealed, and waterproof, thereby making it almost impossible for nature to be at all favorably disposed toward us. In short, they are rolled altogether too much. At one of the Chicago courses, where a heavy cutter is constantly employed on one part of the golf course and the ordinary horse mowers on the other, that end of the golf course where the heavy mower is not used shows conclusively its superiority in the nature and texture of the turf, and is certainly more free from weeds, and the soil is certainly in much better shape. This result can be seen any day on any of the courses round the city of Chicago, although sometimes the comparison is not quite so apparent.

As Mr. Emmet points out, for a new course the use of a heavy roller or auto-mower is a perfect Godsend up to a certain point, yet I wish to say right here it has been my experience that if the ground of a new golf course has been properly prepared the use of an auto-mower or a roller should be limited to a matter of a week or ten days. A sure way to injure the soil is by packing to exclude the air, for the reason that the activities of the chemical agents in the soil is thereby lessened, and thus the making of plant food available is in great measure retarded. On the other hand, when the soil is maintained in a more friable state, and the air is allowed entrance, oxygen being such an active element and combining freely with elements in all sorts of substances, it naturally follows that chemical action and change more actively take place. Hence reasons for good and bad fair greens in very many instances. Withal, nature is more kind to us than we are to it, and many times we see conditions exist of a splendid nature on a fair green, not because of what is being done, but in spite of it.

The nature of the soil on fully 90 per cent of the golf courses in the western country will not permit of this packing, and if one keeps his eyes open evidences of this can be seen any day almost on any course that is visited. On courses where grass grew a few years ago in luxuriance, and free from weeds, one is shocked to see that more weeds exist in many instances than grass and infinitely more than in the rough and upon which no work of this kind has been done. The reason is not far to seek. In the rough, the water fall is conserved, not only because of the ranker growth, but because the soil was in a better state of receptivity to take it in, the rain fall being better absorbed and thus augmenting the water reserves, and providing the moisture necessary to give vigor to the grass growth and eliminating in great measure the propagating of weed life. On the other hand, the method pursued of constantly rolling and cutting the fair green has practically raised a surface almost as hard as asphalt through which only a small percentage of the rainfall ever percolates, but running off into low places sours the ground, kills the grass and makes a splendid place for the germination of every weed that is blown on to

it. Weeds with large tap roots, unlike the rhizomes of grass, bore down and thrive where it is impossible for grass to do so. Who has not seen evidences of this kind on almost every course he has played upon, yet how slow are those in charge of affairs willing to use common sense methods in the pursuit of the end they have in view.

Water is of so much importance to the life of the grass that we see thousands of dollars spent annually in the piping of putting and fair greens all over the country and yet by the methods pursued of packing and caking the soil the object sought to be gained is in great measure nullified. When it is considered that water is the most essential food of plant life it is easily seen why all this expenditure. The water acts upon the plant food in the ground by turning all food materials into solution thus making them available for absorption. Hence it should be the aim of those looking after the golf course to see that the ground is kept in as friable a shape as is possible—that the porosity of both fair and putting greens is always maintained, when I am sure that the amount of water necessary for their maintenance will never be so great as under the present method so prevalent of continually rolling; and the textures of the grass will be better.

Putting Greens

As often happens, owing to the vagaries of the winter in the westtern hemisphere, putting greens suffer extensively from winter-kill. There are many reasons that can be brought forward to account for this, one of the most apparent being lack of a snow covering—the snowfall not being sufficient to allow the protection necessary to preserve the turf against repeated thaws and frosts.

One thing that should make itself apparent to the average Green Committee man or greenkeeper is that the only way to overcome this occurring winter by winter in this western country, where such extremes in temperature usually prevail, is to see to it that, in the building of new putting greens or in remodeling old ones, a perfect system of drainage is installed. Rarely, if ever, do you find greens suffering from winter-kill where the subsoil is sand or gravel, the reason being no doubt that the porosity of the soil is sufficient in itself to carry off all the moisture, thereby lessening the effects of Jack Frost's work upon the roots and making it possible for his opponent, King Sol, to find it quite an easy task, through his beneficent rays, to offset; but in all heavy soils where the subsoil is clay and where such porosity is limited, means will have to be adopted to preclude the possibility of gravitational water standing, else a repetition of what has occurred in the last two or three years in the western country will be a sure result, namely: winter-killed putting greens.

Of course to accomplish the making of greens similar to those which obtain on the links in Scotland or on the sandy soils of the Atlantic seaboard, a good deal of expense is entailed which would probably be more than the average club would be willing to expend. It certainly would be quite an item, but when one considers that the creative power of country club life is practically the game of golf, and looks at the elaborate club houses that are being built, there is no reason why the game which creates the whole thing should be relegated into such a small corner and only a small percentage of the income devoted to the building up and maintenance of the same. It can readily be argued that because of the greater distances to travel to the club in this country it is necessary that more elaborate club houses be built and maintained than on the other side, which no doubt in measure is quite true, but, as a golfer, I must say, not at the expense of the golf course.

With twenty years' experience in the game of golf and its requirements, one would think much would have been learned in that time, but it seems after all that there is a sad lack of knowledge in many of the rudimentary principles. In the economy of the management of clubs we usually find a new Green Committee coming in with each succeeding year and no wonder the greens, as a rule, suffer. The men who are usually appointed to these duties are perfectly willing to admit that their knowledge of agronomy and agrostology is, at the most, academical, but that they are willing to learn and if, perchance, through interchange of thought and observation, they have learned anything in the course of the year, another year sees a new committee in place of the old one, and once again there is a new beginning. When we look at some of the clubs, however, that have pursued a more sane policy and have had Green Committees serve for a term of from five to ten years, we find a different state of things prevalent. We find intelligent management, greens in better shape than anywhere else, and it is only rightly so that this should be, as they have a chance to commence each succeeding year where they left off in the previous one, and the knowledge so acquired is invaluable to them and to others if they will only see it. A good golf course is a matter of evolution, and unless one can profit by past experience there can be no benefit.

In the building of a putting green on an inland course, one should seek to imitate nature as nearly as possible. By this is meant the soil condition that obtains where we consider the best greens are to be found.

On the links in Scotland, where the best golf courses are said to be, there is just enough loam on the top of pure sand to give nourishment to a short, crisp and curly grass, which makes the best kind of a putting green that can be found anywhere. Of course such a grass cannot be grown here with success. It is practically indigenous to that soil and the climatic conditions which exist over there.

At one of the clubs around Chicago the method was tried, I understand, a few years ago, but as to whether it was persevered in I cannot say. I was told that the idea was abandoned. However, for the benefit of those who would wish to have greens that would give them a minimum of worry the following directions may be acceptable. It will be evident at once that a putting green that is well drained is a better place for grass roots to spread in than one that is often wet from standing water—not on the surface but unseen to the eye—at the water table. The reasons are that the plant foods are more easily secured, there is more warmth in the soil and more air can be used, consequently a better condition all around that is conducive to growth.

Dig out your green to a depth of eighteen inches, then throw in about six inches of broken stone and cinders mixed. Roll down thoroughly, after which put on the same quantity of lake or sea sand, which will leave another six inches for the soil. Great care should be used in the selection of this top soil, and sand should be thoroughly mixed with it, according to its density. *Well rotted* stable manure should also be used to add humus to the soil. A thorough mixing of this manure and sandy soil would thus make for a splendid green, when one would have just as fine a bed as could be found anywhere for the propagation of the grasses best suited to the climatic conditions which exist. Of course the initial cost of such greens would be considerable, but would it not pay, in the matter of larger organizations that are just commencing, to have the work done in this way? The drainage would be perfect, the freedom from gravitational water standing and worm casts would be something to be thankful for and the nature of the grass which could be grown thereupon would be refined to a remarkable degree.

The care of the greens would be a good deal simplified, as with the mania for rolling, which seems to possess some of our Green Committees, little harm could be done on a green built up in this fashion. There would be so little soil to pack that even this could be done with impunity, although we never approve of it; that is, too much rolling under any conditions.

One might think also that the amount of water necessary to water these greens would add very much to the cost of maintenance. That might be true, but if a little judgment was exercised in the cutting of the greens there need be no extra cost added. There is a very pernicious habit in vogue in this country, which we consider a very foolish one, and that is cutting greens while the dew is on the grass. Always remember that "ilka blade of grass hauds its ain drap o' dew" and this is one of nature's most beneficent aids in the nourishment of grass life; and yet we see the mowers at work early in the morning cutting off blades of grass with the dew upon them, which under the heat of the sun is evaporated in a short time. It not only is taking away a great deal of the very best nourishment of plant life, but it never makes a good job in cutting the grass at such a time. Why not defer the cutting of the grass until the dew has been absorbed, say, until after 10 o'clock in the morning? This could be done without any trouble, except probably at exceptional times during the tournaments. If the dews were left to be absorbed naturally there would not be so much water required upon any putting green. It has been my observation that where this pointer has been given and attended to greens were in much better condition than where this was not done previously.

Naturally, on many of our courses methods so radical will never be attempted, yet a method of draining them by tiling should be resorted to if the desire is to have greens in good shape after the repeated thaws and frosts of a hard winter. A litttle judgment exercised by the greenkeeper during a wet spell will determine where the gravitational water stands on a rolling green, and his desire should be to lead the water off by means of a drain tile to another point where its presence will be less injurious. A judicious expenditure of money in this direction would give the quietus to many of the kicks one is accustomed to hear every spring leveled at the Green Committee when they take up the reigns of government.

There is no doubt about it, we have a great deal to learn in the building and care of putting greens, but we feel convinced if we just stop and think for a few moments, there are many common sense ideas that would appeal to us which should work for better conditions prevalent in this connection all around.

SANDING OF PUTTING GREENS

The late Tom Morris, St. Andrews' Grand Old Man of golf, has been and is made the casus belli between green committees and golfers in a way that he little dreamt of. Many years ago, in giving advice regarding work to be done on a certain golf course to bring greens into shape, he uttered a sentence which to some has become axiomatic —"hand on the sand." This advice, coming from a greenkeeper of his experience and ability, would doubtless carry a great deal of weight with a great number and, if adhered to discreetly, would result in splendid results. But this is where the great harm has been done; some have been so foolish as to blindly follow this advice without first finding out all about the conditions that obtained which called forth such a remark, as to whether their greens, upon which they carried out this admonition, were in a similar state to the ones he spoke of and whether the same method of treatment could be applied with beneficial effect or otherwise. In the majority of cases the answer is "No!"

Sand is a splendid thing for many purposes, and for a putting green where the soil is heavy and the growth rank the judicious use of sand is of great value. Sand has a twofold action when applied to a putting green. It acts as an aerater of the soil, the sharp particles forcing their way through the closely packed loam and thereby starting chemical action in the soil, by breaking up and allowing the various elements that go to build up plant life to become available, at the same time allowing the soil to receive a certain amount of moisture which if closely packed it would be impossible to get.

This is one of the chief reasons why so much watering is necessary to keep putting greens in good condition. A great deal of the water sprinkled (either naturally or artificially) never gets to the lower regions where the water stores are held. It is lost by surface drainage, owing to the surface soil being so tight and closely packed and thus becoming in a measure waterproof.

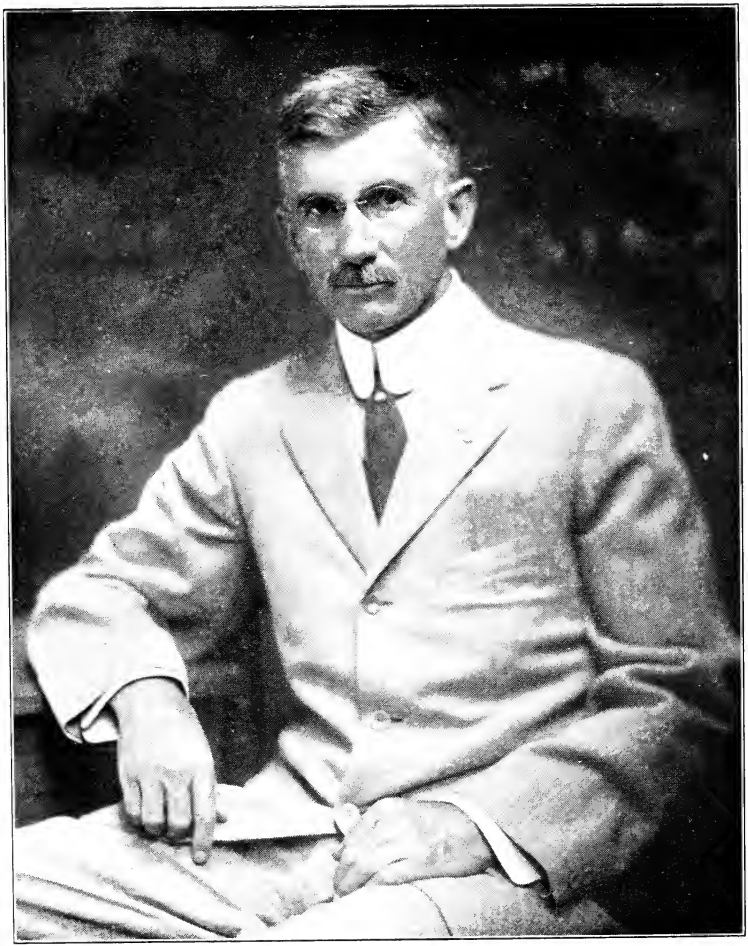
In the making of new greens on a stiff clay loam one of the best things that can be done, is to see to it that plenty of good sharp sand is spread over the land when plowed or spaded up. This will have the effect of making the soil much more porous, and allow of gravitational water getting more readily to the water table instead of running off.

Sand is also a refiner of the growth and a deterrent to rankness, and here is where so much harm is done. Anyone who has not made a study of the conditions that exist should not blindly "hand on the sand," as is sometimes done in the fall of the year to the depth, as we have often seen it, of an inch or more, with such disastrous effects.

Neither in the spring of the year, either, generally. Of course, in both cases, sometimes because of the virility of the soil and the amount

of its food content no harm has been done, but we just wish it understood that such methods cannot be followed generally. Every case must be decided on its merits.

In the first instance, if done, it usually serves as a knockout to the already dying grass; if put on at the commencement of the spring season it has usually the effect of making growth backward. Nature is reasserting itself, and, instead of being retarded, it should be assisted. We would suggest as the result of observation that the best time to sand greens is probably after they have been opened to play upon, and then sprinkle sand upon them every month for a period of at least four or five months, never at any time too much, but just enough that a good shower of rain will have the effect of washing it in. This will have the effect of filling up all unevenness of surface, retarding rankness of growth, adding to the porosity of the soil and thus allowing of nitrification to take place more readily, and at the same time have no detrimental effect on the green at all. "A little and often" should be the treatment, when the result obtained will, I am sure, make for as fast and true a putting green as one could wish for.



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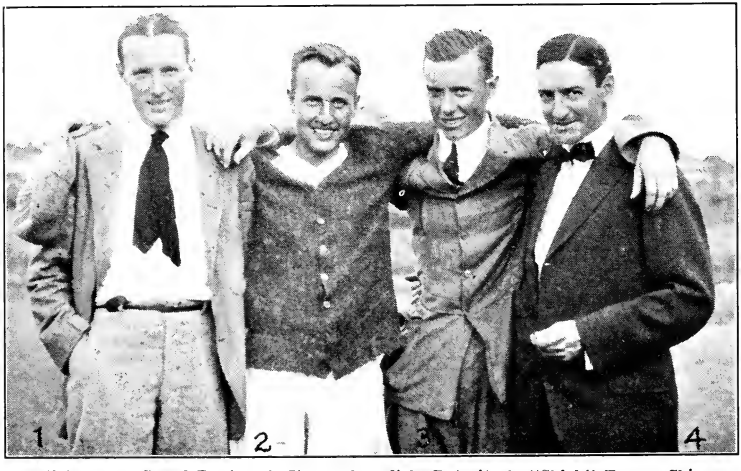
Allegheny Country Club, Sewickley, Pa.
Annandale Golf Club, Pasadena, Cal.
Arlington Country Club, Columbus, Ohio.
Atlanta Athletic Club, Atlanta, Ga.
Audubon Country Club, Louisville, Ky.
Audubon Golf Club, New Orleans, La.
Bay City Country Club, Bay City, Mich.
Belmont Golf Club, Downers Grove, Ill.
Bellerive C.C., formerly St. Louis F.C., St. Louis, Mo.
Beverly Country Club, 8700 Western Ave., Chicago.
Birchwood Golf Club, Rogers Park, Ill.
Bloomfield Hills Country Club, Detroit, Mich.
Blue Mound Country Club, Milwaukee, Wis.
Burlingame Country Club, Burlingame, Cal.
Calumet Country Club, Chicago, Ill.
Cedar Rapids Country Club, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
Chattanooga Golf and Country Club, Chattanooga, Tenn.

GEORGE F. HENNEBERRY,
Secretary Western Golf Association.

JOHN B. TONKIN,
President Pittsburgh Field Club,
1914-1915.



1, Phil Stanton, Grand Rapids; 2, Jimmy Standish, Detroit; 3, "Chick" Evans, Chicago; 4, Ned Sawyer, Chicago. Pietzcker, Photo.

WESTERN GOLF ASSOCIATION SEMI-FINALISTS AT GRAND RAPIDS.

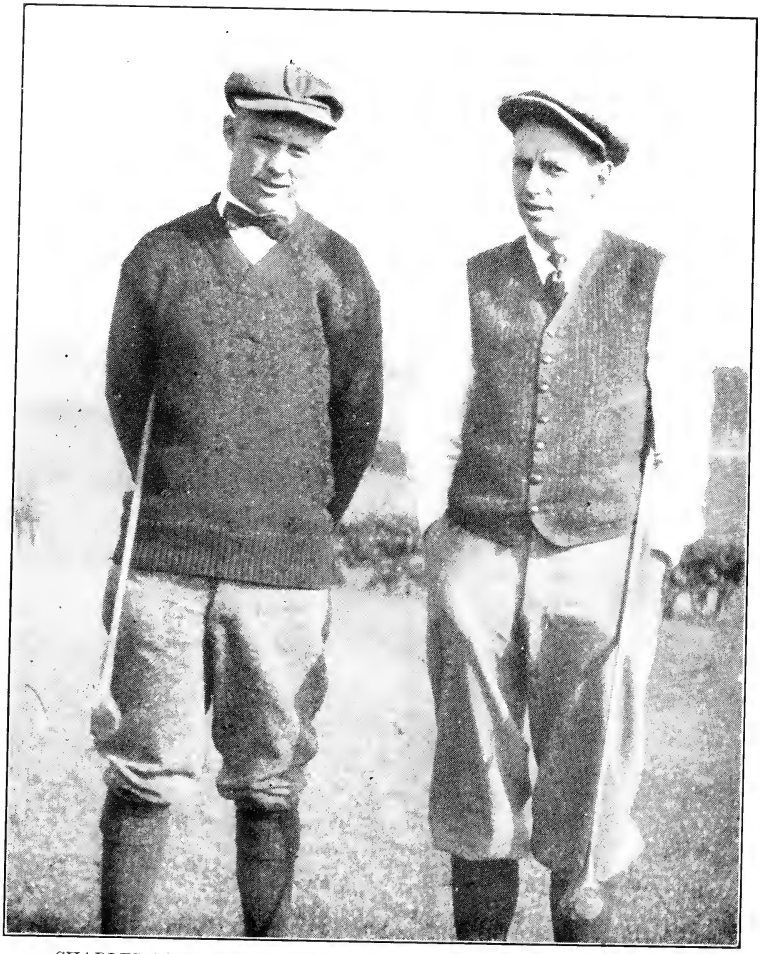
Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.
Cincinnati Golf Club, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Claremont Country Club, Oakland, Cal
Colorado Golf Club, Denver, Col.
Colorado Springs G.C., formerly Town and Gown G.C.
Council Bluffs Rowing Association, Council Bluffs, Iowa.
Country Club, Birmingham, Ala.
Country Club, Frankfort, Ky.
Country Club, Indianapolis, Ind.
Country Club, Joliet, Ill.
Country Club, Little Rock, Ark.
Country Club Company, Cleveland, O.
Country Club of Buffalo, Buffalo, N. Y.
Country Club of Decatur, Decatur, Ill.
Country Club of Detroit, Grosse Pointe Farms, Mich.
Country Club of Logansport, Ind.
Country Club of Oconomowoc, Oconomowoc, Wis.
Country Club of Peoria, Peoria, Ill.
Country Club of St. Joseph Valley, South Bend, Ind.
Danville Golf Club, Danville, Ill.
Deer Park Country Club, La Salle, Ill.
Denver Country Club, Denver, Col.
Detroit Golf Club, Detroit, Mich.
Dickinson Golf Club, Dickinson, N. D.
Douglas Country Club, Douglas, Ariz.
Dubuque Golf Club, Dubuque, Ia.
Edgebrook Country Club, Chicago, Ill.
Edgewater Golf Club, Chicago, Ill.
Elgin Country Club, Elgin, Ill.
Elmhurst Golf Club, Elmhurst, Ill.
Elm Ridge Club, Kansas City, Mo.
El Paso Country Club, El Paso, Tex.
Elyria Country Club, Elyria, Ohio.
Essex County Golf and Country Club, Windsor, Can.
Euclid Club, Cleveland, Ohio.
Evanston Golf Club, Evanston, Ill.
Evanston Golf Club, Kansas City, Mo.
Exmoor Country Club, Highland Park, Ill.
Fairview Country Club, Fond du Lac, Wis.
Florida Country Club, Jacksonville, Fla.
Fort Smith Country Club, Fort Smith, Ark.
Fremont Country Club, Fremont, Neb.
Ft. Mitchell Country Club, Covington, Ky.
Garfield Golf Club, Chicago, Ill.
Geneva Golf Club, Geneva, Ill.
Glen Echo Country Club, Normandy, Mo.
Glen Flora Country Club, Waukegan, Ill.
Glengarry Golf Club, Morris, Ill.
Glen Oak Country Club, Glen Ellyn, Ill.
Glenview Golf Club, Golf, Ill.
Golf and Country Club, Des Moines, Ia.
Hamilton County Golf Club, Cincinnati, O.
Hannibal Country Club, Hannibal, Mo.
Happy Hollow Country Club, Omaha, Neb.
Harbor Point Country Club, Harbor Springs, Mich.
Highland Golf Club, Grand Rapids, Mich.
Highland Golf Club, Indianapolis, Ind.
Hinsdale Golf Club, Hinsdale, Ill.
Homewood Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill.
Houston Golf Club, Houston, Texas.
Hutchinson Country Club Association, Hutchinson, Kan.
Hyperion Club, Des Moines, Ia.
Idlewild C. C., Flossmoor, Ill.
Interlachen Country Club, Minneapolis, Minn.
Interlachen Golf Club, Denver, Col.

Illini Country Club, Springfield, Ill.
Inverness Club Company, Toledo, Ohio.
Jackson Park Golf Club, Chicago, Ill.
Jacksonville Country Club, Jacksonville, Ill.
Kalamazoo Country Club, Kalamazoo, Mich.
Kansas City Country Club, Westport, Mo.
Keokuk Country Club, Keokuk, Iowa.
Kenosha Country Club, Kenosha, Wis.
Kent Country Club, Grand Rapids, Mich.
Kishwaukee Country Club, DeKalb, Illinois.
La Crosse Country Club, La Crosse, Wis.
La Grange Country Club, La Grange, Ill.
Lake Country Club, Gary, Ind.
Lake Geneva Country Club, Lake Geneva, Wis.
Lakeside Country Club, Manitowoc, Wis.
Lambton Golf and Country Club, Toronto, Can.
La Porte Country Club, La Porte, Ind.
Lexington Country Club, Lexington, Ky.
Los Angeles Country Club, Los Angeles, Cal.
Losantiville Country Club, Cincinnati, O.
Louisville C.C., formerly L.G.C., Louisville, Ky.
Mahoning Golf Club, Youngstown, Ohio.
Maple Bluff G. C., Maple Bluff, Iowa.
Marion Golf Club, Marion, Ind.
Marsatawa Country Club, Marseilles, Ill.
Marshalltown Country Club, Marshalltown, Ia.
Mayfield Country Club, Cleveland, Ohio.
Maywood Golf Club, Maywood, Ill.
Meadow Heights Country Club, Jackson, Mich.
Memphis Country Club, Buntyn, Tenn.
Midlothian Country Club, Blue Island, Ill.
Milton Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.
Milwaukee Country Club, Milwaukee, Wis.
Minikahda Club, Minneapolis, Minn.
Minnehaha Country Club, Sioux Falls, S.D.
Mississippi Coast Country Club, Gulfport, Miss.
Monmouth Country Club, Monmouth, Ill.
Muskegon Golf Club, Muskegon, Mich.
Muskogee T. and C.C., Muskogee, Okla.
Nashville Golf and Country Club, Nashville, Tenn.
Normandie Golf Club, St. Louis, Mo.
Northland Country Club, Duluth, Minn.
North Shore Golf Club, Wilmette, Ill.
Oahu Country Club, Honolulu, T. H.
Oakmont Country Club, Oakmont, Pa.
Oakwood Country Club, Kansas City, Mo.
Old Elm Club, Fort Sheridan, Ill.
Omaha Country Club, Benson, Neb.
Omaha Field Club, Omaha, Neb.
Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill.
Ottumwa Country Club, Ottumwa, Ia.
Portage Country Club, Akron, Ohio.
Portage Lake Country Club, Houghton, Mich.
Portsmouth Golf Club, Portsmouth, O.
Quincy Country Club, Quincy, Ill.
Racine Golf Club, Racine, Wis.
Ravenswood Golf Club, Ravenswood, Chicago, Ill.
Ravisloe Country Club, Homewood, Ill.
Redlands Country Club, Redlands, Cal.
Ridge Country Club, Washington Heights, Chicago, Ill.
Richmond Country Club, Richmond, Ind.
Ridgemoor G.C., formerly Irving G.C., Norwood Park, Ill.
Riverside Golf Club, Riverside, Ill.
Rockford Country Club, Rockford, Ill.
Rock Island Arsenal Golf Club, Rock Island, Ill.

San Francisco Golf and Country Club, San Francisco, Cal.
Santa Cruz Golf and Country Club, Santa Cruz, Cal.
Seattle Golf and Country Club, Seattle, Wash.
Sheboygan Country Club, Sheboygan, Wis.
Sinnissippi Golf Club, Janesville, Wis.
Sioux City Boat Club, Sioux City, Ia.
Sioux City Golf and Country Club, Sioux City, Iowa.
Skokie Country Club, Glencoe, Ill.
Soangetaha Country Club, Galesburg, Ill.
South Shore Country Club, Chicago, Ill.
Standard Club, Louisville, Ky.
St. Catherine's Golf Club, St. Catherine's, Can.
St. Charles Country Club, Winnipeg, Can.
St. Joseph Country Club, St. Joseph, Mo.
St. Louis Amateur Athletic Association, St. Louis, Mo.
St. Louis Country Club, St. Louis, Mo.
Streator Golf Club, Streator, Ill.
Tatepaha Golf Club, Faribault, Minn.
Tenaja Golf Club, Dawson, N. M.
Toledo Country Club, Toledo, Ohio.
Toledo Golf Club, Toledo, Ohio.
Topeka Country Club, Topeka, Kans.
Town and Country Club, St. Paul, Minn.
Tulsa Country Club, Tulsa, Okla.
Tuscumbia Golf Club, Green Lake, Dartford, Wis.
University of Illinois Golf Club, Urbana, Ill.
Virginia Country Club, Long Beach, Cal.
Walkerville Golf Club, Walkerville, Can.
Wanakah Golf Club, Buffalo, N. Y.
Warren District Country Club, Bisbee, Ariz.
Waverly Golf Club, Portland, Ore.
Westmoreland Country Club, Evanston, Ill.
West Pullman Country Club, Chicago, Ill.
Westward Ho Golf Club, Oak Park, Ill.
Westwood Country Club, Kirkwood, Mo.
Westwood Golf Club, Dover Bay, Ohio.
Wheaton Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.
Wichita Country Club, Wichita, Kas.
Windsor Golf Club, Chicago, Ill.
Winnipeg Golf Club, Winnipeg, Can.
Woodmont Country Club, Milwaukee, Wis.

The following clubs were admitted to membership during the year:

Cass Country Club, Dowagiac, Michigan.
Country Club of Helena, Helena, Arkansas.
Country Club of Sault Ste. Marie, Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan.
Country Club of Battle Creek, Battle Creek, Michigan.
Dornick Hill Country Club, Ardmore, Oklahoma.
Excelsior Springs Golf Club, Excelsior Springs, Missouri.
Highland Park Golf Club, Cleveland, Ohio.
Hammond Country Club, Hammond, Indiana.
Midwick Country Club, Alhambra, California.
Midland Country Club, Kewanee, Illinois.
Oklahoma City Golf and Country Club, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
Parks Golf Club, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
Sequoyah Country Club, Oakland, California.
Sinnissippi Park Golf Club, Rockford, Illinois.
Spring Lake Country Club, Spring Lake, Michigan.
Sunnyside Golf Club, South Bend, Indiana.
Indian Hill Club, Winnetka, Illinois.
Lakeside Country Club, Tacoma, Washington.
Stanton Heights Golf Club, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
Red Run Golf Club, Detroit, Michigan.



CHARLES "CHICK" EVANS,
Amateur Champion, 1914.

W. K. WOOD,
Amateur Champion, 1913.

TWO AMATEUR CHAMPIONS OF THE WESTERN GOLF ASSOCIATION.

RESUME OF WESTERN GOLF ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONSHIPS.

1899—Amateur Championship, held at Glenview Club, Golf, Ill., September 6 to 9, inclusive; won by D. R. Forgan, Onwentsia Club, who defeated Walter E. Egan, Onwentsia Club, 6 and 5. Open Championship; won by Willie Smith, Midlothian Country Club, who defeated Lawrence Auchterlonie, Glenview, after a tie.

1900—Amateur Championship; held at the Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill., September 25 to 29, inclusive; won by William Waller, Onwentsia Club, who defeated William Holabird, Jr., Glenview Club, in the finals by 1 up; second flight cup was won by Louis Allis of Milwaukee; third flight cup was won by K. L. Ames, Glenview Club. Marshall Field Cup; a team composed of Walter B. Smith, Walter E. Egan, Wm. Waller, David R. Forgan, Slason Thompson, from the Onwentsia Club, won the above trophy; score 30 down.

1900—No Open Championship was held in 1900.

1901—Amateur Championship; held at Midlothian Country Club. October 20 to 24, inclusive; won by Phelps B. Hoyt of Glenview, who defeated Bruce D. Smith of Onwentsia in the finals by 6 and 5; second flight cup was won by L. F. Boyd, Milwaukee; third flight cup, won by S. O. Dugger, Hinsdale. Marshall Field Cup: Glenview won, 39 down; team: Wm. Holabird, Phelps B. Hoyt, John D. Towne, W. I. Osborne, Geo. A. Thorne. Women's Championship; held at Onwentsia Club, September 25 to 28, inclusive; won by Miss Bessie Anthony, who defeated Mrs. H. Chatfield Taylor by 3 and 1. Open Championship; held at Midlothian Country Club; won by Lawrence Auchterlonie, Glenview; score, 160; David Bell was second with 162.

1902—Amateur Championship; held at Chicago Golf Club, September 9 to 13, inclusive; won by H. Chandler Egan, Exmoor, who defeated Walter E. Egan, Lake Geneva Country Club, 1 up, 37 holes. Marshall Field Cup; won by the Exmoor team; 55 down; team: H. Chandler Egan, R. Harvey McElwee, B. F. Cummins, C. Todd Moffett, W. Alexander. Women's Championship; held at the Onwentsia Club, August 26 to 30, inclusive; Miss Bessie Anthony, Glenview Club, defeated Mrs. W. A. Alexander of Exmoor in the finals by 1 up. Open Championship; held at Euclid Club, Cleveland, Ohio, September 16-17; won by Willie Anderson, Pittsfield, Mass., with a medal score for 72 holes of 299. Wm. Smith, Midlothian, and W. H. Way of Euclid, tied for second place with 304.

1903—Amateur Championship; held at Euclid Club, Cleveland, Ohio. August 3 to 8, inclusive; won by Walter E. Egan, Exmoor Country Club, who defeated H. Chandler Egan, Exmoor, by 1 up, 37 holes. Marshall Field Cup; held at Milwaukee Country Club, July 18; Exmoor team won, 45 down; team: H. Chandler Egan, Walter E. Egan, B. F. Cummins, W. I. Osborne, R. H. McElwee. Open Championship; held at Milwaukee Country Club, July 16-17; won by Alec. Smith, Nassau Country Club, with a total of 318; Lawrence Auchterlonie, Glenview, and David Brown of Wollaston, tied for second place with 322.

1904—Amateur Championship; held at Exmoor Country Club, August 15 to 20, inclusive; won by H. Chandler Egan, Exmoor Country Club, who defeated D. E. Sawyer, Wheaton Golf Club, by 6 and 5. Marshall Field Cup; held at Midlothian Country Club, July 16; Midlothian team won, being 6 up by bogey; team: Kenneth P. Edwards, Mason E. Phelps, O. W. Potter, Jr., R. E. Daniels, Chas. Zueblin. Open Championship; held at Kent Country Club, Grand Rapids, Mich., June 30 to July 2, inclusive; won by Willie Anderson, Apawamis, with 304; Alec. Smith, Nassau, second, with 308; while Lawrence Auchterlonie was third with 315.

1905—Amateur Championship; held at Glenview Club, Golf, Ill., July 25 to 29, inclusive; won by H. Chandler Egan, Exmoor Country Club, who defeated Walter E. Egan, Exmoor, 3 and 2. Marshall Field Cup; held at Exmoor Country Club, July 8; Midlothian team won, 1 down; team: Robert E. Hunter, Mason E. Phelps, O. W. Potter, Jr., Kenneth P. Edwards, Chas. G. Comstock, Jr. Olympic Cup;

held at Chicago Golf Club, August 7; won by Western Pennsylvania Golf Association; total medal score, 655; team: W. C. Fownes, Jr., J. A. Ormiston, Dr. D. P. Fredericks, E. M. Byers. Open Championship; held at Cincinnati Golf Club, June 29 and 30; won by Arthur Smith, Columbus, Ohio, with a score of 278, 72 holes; James Maiden, Youngstown, Ohio, second with 280; Robert Simpson, Riverside, Ill., was third with 290.

1906—Amateur Championship; held at Glen Echo Country Club, September 4 to 8, inclusive; won by D. E. Sawyer, Wheaton Golf Club, who defeated Warren K. Wood, Homewood, 1 up, 37 holes. Marshall Field Cup; held at Onwentsia Club, August 6; Onwentsia team won, 23 up; team: D. R. Forgan, A. B. Swift, R. H. McElwee, Bruce D. Smith, W. E. Clow, Jr. Olympic Cup; held at Glen Echo Country Club, September 3; won by Western Golf Association; medal score, 635; team: H. Chandler Egan, D. E. Sawyer, Warren K. Wood, O. W. Potter, Jr. Open Championship; held at the Homewood Country Club, June 20 to 22, inclusive; Alec. Smith, Nassau, won with a total of 306; John Hobens, Englewood, N. J., was second with 309; while Fred McLeod, Midlothian, and Willie Anderson, Onwentsia, tied for third place with 311.

1907—Amateur Championship; held at Chicago Golf Club, August 6 to 10, inclusive; won by H. Chandler Egan, who defeated Herbert F. Jones, Wheaton Golf Club, by 5 and 4. Marshall Field Cup; held at Midlothian Country Club, August 13; Midlothian team won, 2 down; team: Mason E. Phelps, K. P. Edwards, Paul Hunter, R. E. Daniels, Chas. Zueblin. Olympic Cup; held at Euclid Club, Cleveland, Ohio, July 8. Won by Metropolitan Golf Association; medal score, 641; team: Walter J. Travis, Jerome D. Travers, Fred Herreshoff, Archie Reid. Open Championship; held at Hinsdale Golf Club, Hinsdale, Ill., June 27 to 28, inclusive; Robert Simpson, Omaha Country Club, won with a total of 307; while Willie Anderson, Onwentsia, and Fred McLeod, Midlothian, tied for second place with 309.

1908—Amateur Championship; held at Rock Island Arsenal Golf Club, Rock Island; won by Mason Phelps, Midlothian, who defeated Harry Allen, St. Louis Field Club, by 6 and 5. Olympic Cup; won by the Western Golf Association team, composed of K. P. Edwards, W. K. Wood, D. E. Sawyer and R. E. Hunter; medal score, 632. Open Championship; held at Normandie Park Golf Club, St. Louis; Willie Anderson, Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill., won with a total of 299, while Fred McLeod, Midlothian, took second place with 300; and Alec Campbell and Gill Nicholls, from the Boston district, tied at 301.

1909—Amateur Championship; held at the Homewood County Club, Flossmoor, Ill.; won by Chick Evans, Edgewater, who defeated Albert Seckel, Riverside, 1 up. Olympic Cup; won by W.G.A. team, comprising H. C. Egan, W. K. Wood, C. Evans, Jr., and K. P. Edwards; medal score, 643. Open Championship, held at Skokie C.C., Glencoe, Ill., and won by W. Anderson, St. Louis C.C., with a total for 72 holes of 288. S. Gardner of Exmoor was second with 297, while Jack Croke, of the Kent Co. Club, was third with 300.

1910—Amateur Championship; held at the Minikahda Country Club, Minneapolis, Minn.; won by Mason Phelps, who defeated Charles Evans, Jr. Olympic Cup; won by W.G.A. team. Open Championship, held at Beverly C.C.; won by Charles Evans, Jr., who defeated George Simpson in the finals.

1911—Amateur Championship; held at Detroit Golf Club, Detroit, Mich.; won by Albert Seckel, Riverside, who defeated R. A. Gardner in the finals. Olympic Cup; won by Western G.A. team, total 606. Open Championship, held at Kent Country Club, Grand Rapids, Mich. Match play, won by Robert Simpson, Kenosha, who defeated T. McNamara, Boston, in the final.

1912—Amateur Championship; held at Denver Country Club, Denver, Colo.; July 15 to 20, inclusive; won by "Chick" Evans, who defeated W. K. Wood, 1 up. Olympic Cup; won by W.G.A. team, total 629. Open Championship; held at Idlewild Country Club, Flossmoor; won by Macdonald Smith, Del Monte, 299. Women's Championship, at

Hinsdale Golf Club, Miss Caroline Painter won, defeating Miss Ruth Chisholm, Cleveland, 1 up.

1913—Amateur Championship; held at the Homewood Country Club; won by Warren K. Wood, who defeated Ned Allis, 3rd, in the finals. Open Championship, held at the Memphis Country Club, and won by J. J. McDermott, with a total of 295. Women's Championship, held at the Memphis Country Club, and won by Miss Myra Helmer of Midlothian.

1914—Amateur Championship; held at the Kent Country Club, July 27 to August 1 inclusive, and won by C. W. Evans, Jr., who defeated J. M. Standish of Detroit by 10 to 8. Olympic Cup was won by the Chicago District Association team. Open Championship, held at the Interlachen Golf Club, Minneapolis, and won by J. Barnes of Whitemarsh. Women's Championship, held at Hinsdale, and won by Mrs. Henry Hammond of the Highland Golf Club, Indianapolis.

WESTERN AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Kent Country Club, Grand Rapids, Michigan, July 27 to Aug. 1.

Probably no better golf has been witnessed in a championship of this association than that displayed by "Chick" Evans when he annexed the banner event of the West at Kent Country Club. To maintain an average of 71 and a fraction for a week's play is something we augur will not be done for many a day again. His best round was 67, something like three shots worse than it should have been; but it was this defection that appeared to make him almost human, and for which we are thankful. The field was a most representative one, and in point of numbers was the largest yet staged for this event. The only absentee was W. K. Wood, ex-champion, who was prevented from attending because of business. Evans' score for the qualifying rounds was also the lowest—147 being the total. Save for the scare he received from that sterling golfer, J. K. Bole of Cleveland, in the first round when the match went to the twenty-first—his way to the coveted trophy was rather easy.

The final was a procession—a great exhibition of golf, but not a good match. Evans won nine holes in the morning, Standish not getting a single one. At the start it looked promising as the first three holes were halved in par. After that Evans had it all his own way, and played the course in the phenomenal figures of 67. His card was:

Out.....	4	4	4	4	4	4	2	3	5—34
In.....	4	3	4	3	4	5	3	3	4—33—67

The championship summary:

Eliminating Scores—R. B. Martin, Hammond, Ind., 72; Charles Evans, Jr., Edgewater, 73; R. A. Gardner, Hinsdale, 73; Ralph Peters, Omaha, 74; E. P. Allis, 3rd, Milwaukee, 74; J. W. Hubbell, Des Moines, 74; G. S. Lyon, Toronto, 75; Wm. Rautenbusch, Garfield, Chicago, 75; Jack Neville, Claremont, 76; Carl Devol, Riverside, 76; Howard Walton, Champaign, 76; F. R. Blossom, Midlothian, 76; J. L. Miller, Wheaton, 76; Phil Stanton, Kent, 77; J. D. Standish, Jr., Detroit, 77; D. E. Sawyer, Wheaton, 77; W. H. Gardner, Buffalo, 77; W. C. Hibberd, Richmond, 77; R. E. Hunter, Midwick, Pasadena, 77; J. D. Cady, Rock Island, 78; K. P. Edwards, Midlothian, 78; W. Chatfield-Taylor, Onwentsia, 78; Norman Faunce, Garfield, Chicago, 78; C. L. Weems, Quincy, 78; J. K. Bole, Mayfield, 78; Raymond Russell, Detroit, 79; Harold Weber, Toledo, 79; Fraser Hale, Edgewater, 79; E. A. Limberg, St. Louis, 79; L. L. Bredin, Detroit, 79; G. B. Blossom, Exmoor, 79; H. L. Grinnell, Kent, 80; Howard B. Lee, Detroit, 80; Perry Adair, Atlanta, 80; D. B. Douglas, Midlothian, 80; R. Markwell, Lake Shore, 80; DeWitt Balch, Cincinnati, 80; John G. Heyburn, Louisville, 80; T. W. Hunter, Detroit, 80; J. C. LeDuc, Edgewater, 81; G. S. Patterson, Flossmoor, 81; J. L. Carleton, Glen Echo, 81; Albert Cahn, Sr., Omaha, 81; P. R. Talbot, Evanston, 81; E. H. Bankard, Jr., Midlothian, 81; W. B. Langford, Glen Oak, 81; B. Hopper, Kalamazoo, 82 (withdrew); W. W. Fox, Kent, 82; Noah Dixon, Springfield, 82; W. J. Foye, Omaha, 82; Albert Seckel, Riverside, 82; Gordon Yule, Kenosha, 82; F. W. Leighton, South Shore, 82; J. A. Mudd, Jr., Beverly, 82; S. E. Edmunds, St. Louis, 82; D. H. Mudge, St. Paul, 82; L. A. Munger, Dallas, 82; S. W. Reynolds, Omaha, 82; R. W. Hodge, Evanston, 83; A. M. Parry, Indianapolis, 83; C. B. Kelsey, Kent, 83; W. B. Mahoney, Beverly, 83; F. L. Douglas, Wheaton, 83; J. W. Hughes, Omaha,

MRS. HARRY D. HAMMOND, INDIANAPOLIS,
Western Women's Champion.

83; A. R. Hinckley, Blue Mound, 84 (won play-off); T. S. Handley, Highlands, 84; M. L. Strouse, Westwood, 84; George W. Bunn, Jr., Springfield, 84; P. S. Bush, Arlington, 84; J. N. McDonald, Calumet, 84; Ray Low, Omaha, 84; E. C. Haskell, Evanston, 84; H. D'Ancona, Ravisloe, 84.

Qualifying Scores—Charles Evans, Jr., 73, 74—147; R. A. Gardner, 73, 76—149; R. B. Martin, 72, 80—152; J. L. Miller, 76, 76—152; Albert Seckel, 82, 71—153; D. E. Sawyer, 77, 76—153; Howard Walton, 76, 77—153; Carl Devol, 76, 78—154; Norman Faunce, 78, 77—155; Ralph Peters, 74, 81—155; J. D. Standish, Jr., 77, 78—155; R. E. Hunter, 77, 78—155; Jack Neville, 76, 79—155; G. S. Lyon, 75, 80—155; W. H. Gardner, 77, 79—156; J. K. Bole, 78, 78—156; E. P. Allis, 3rd, 74, 82—156; Harold Weber, 79, 77—156; K. P. Edwards, 78, 78—156; Fraser Hale, 79, 78—157; G. S. Patterson, 81, 78—159; Wm. Rautenbusch, 75, 84—159; F. R. Blossom, 76, 83—159; Phil Stanton, 77, 83—160; Howard B. Lee, 80, 80—160; W. Chatfield-Taylor, 78, 82—160; R. Markwell, 80, 81—161; E. H. Bankard, Jr., 81, 80—161; W. B. Langford, 81, 80—161; L. L. Bredin, 79, 82—161; T. W. Hunter, 81, 81—162; S. W. Reynolds, 82, 80—162.

First Round—Evans defeated Bole, 1 up, 21 holes; Lee defeated Peters, 4 up 2; Seckel defeated Blossom, 7 up 6; Lyon defeated Bankard, 1 up, 19 holes; Sawyer defeated Rautenbusch, 1 up, 20 holes; Edwards defeated T. W. Hunter, 3 up 1; Faunce defeated Langford, 2 up 1; W. H. Gardner defeated Martin, 2 up 1; Allis defeated R. A. Gardner, 2 up 1; Neville defeated Chatfield-Taylor, 4 up 3; Walton defeated Patterson, 3 up 1; Standish defeated Bredin, 4 up 3; Stanton defeated Devol, 2 up 1; Weber defeated Reynolds, 2 up; R. E. Hunter defeated Markwell, 1 up, 19 holes; Hale defeated Miller, 4 up 3.

Second Round—Evans defeated Lee, 5 up 4; Seckel defeated Lyon, 4 up 3; Sawyer won from Edwards by default; W. H. Gardner defeated Faunce, 4 up 3; Allis defeated Neville, 2 up 1; Standish defeated Walton, 2 up 1; Stanton defeated Weber, 9 up 8; R. E. Hunter defeated Hale, 1 up, 37 holes.

Third Round—Evans defeated Seckel, 7 up 6; Sawyer defeated W. H. Gardner, 4 up 3; Standish defeated Allis, 1 up, 37 holes; Stanton defeated R. E. Hunter, 5 up 3.

Semi-finals—Evans defeated Sawyer, 2 up 1; Standish defeated Stanton, 1 up.

Final—Charles Evans, Jr., Edgewater, defeated J. D. Standish, Jr., Detroit, 11 and 9.

President's cup—S. W. Reynolds, Omaha, defeated T. W. Hunter, Detroit, 9 up 8; Vice-President's cup—C. L. Weems, Quincy, defeated W. J. Foye, Omaha, 4 up 3; Secretary's cup—Gordon Yule, Kenosha, defeated C. B. Kelsey, Kent, 7 up 6; Treasurer's cup—J. N. McDonald, Jackson Park, defeated Walter Crowdus, Jackson Park, 7 up 6; Directors' cup—W. V. Manley, Battle Creek, defeated J. L. Shields, Kent, 5 up 3; Committee's cup—R. A. Sundvahl, Windsor, defeated W. H. France, Toledo, 2 up 1.

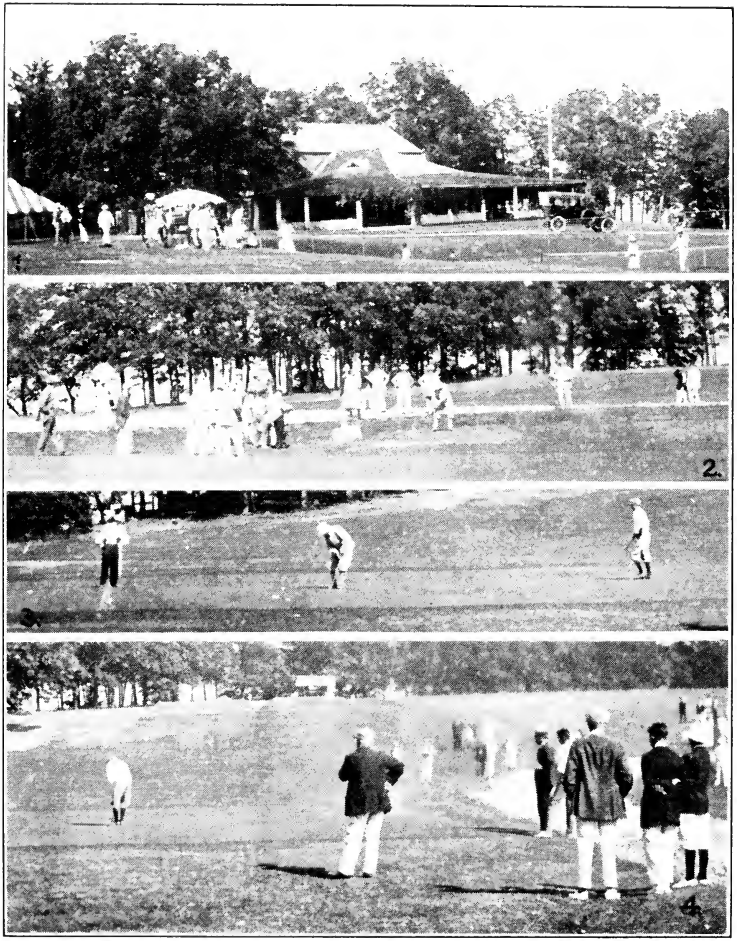
WOMEN'S WESTERN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Hinsdale Golf Club, Hinsdale, Illinois, August 28.

A new female golfing star has arisen in the West. Mrs. H. D. Hammond of Indiana is that luminary, and she not only holds the title of champion of the Women's Western Golf Association but is Indiana State Champion as well. The success of Mrs. Hammond was remarkable, as the Western championship was the first tournament in which she had competed last season, all her opponents, with the exception of Miss Helmer, having taken part in a number of competitive events. Mrs. Hammond's series of victories may be properly attributed to the splendid style in which she played her iron clubs and accurate putting.

According to custom, Miss Helmer, the title holder, was not obliged to play in the qualifying round, being ranked at No. 1 in the bracketings for the match rounds. Miss Laura Kaiser, of Glen Echo, who was playing as a member of Flossmoor, led the field in the qualifying round with the card of 91, Mrs. Hammond being next with 93. The summary:

Qualifying Scores—Miss Laura M. Kaiser, Glen Echo, 91; Mrs. Harry D. Hammond, Indianapolis, 93; Miss Caroline Painter, Midlothian, 94; Mrs. F. S. Colburn, Glen View, 94; Miss Florence Wykoff, Calumet, 96; Miss Louise Fergus, Glen View, 96; Mrs. A. A. Heaning, Wheaton, 97; Miss Marjorie Edwards, Midlothian, 97; Miss Elizabeth Allen, Rock Island, 98; Miss Jennie Jones, Sioux City, 98; Mrs. Frank G. Jones, Memphis, 99; Mrs. W. France Anderson, Hinsdale, 100; Miss Ruth Layman, Skokie, 100; Mrs. Ralph Smalley, Windsor, 101; Mrs. G. F. Henneberry, Glen View, 101.



1, Clubhouse; 2, Neville driving at 10th tee; 3, Neville putting on 9th green; 4, Devol putting on 9th green.

LAKE GENEVA (WIS.) COUNTRY CLUB AND GROUNDS.

First Round—Miss Myra Helmer defeated Mrs. Heaning, 3 up 2; Miss Painter defeated Miss Layman, 4 up 3; Mrs. Hammond defeated Mrs. Jones, 2 up 1; Mrs. Henneberry defeated Miss Wykoff, 2 up; Miss Kaiser defeated Miss Allen, 2 up; Miss Fergus defeated Mrs. Anderson, 1 up; Mrs. Colburn defeated Miss Jones, 2 up; Mrs. Smalley defeated Miss Edwards, 1 up, 19 holes.

Second Round—Miss Helmer defeated Miss Painter, 2 up 1; Mrs. Hammond defeated Mrs. Henneberry, 5 up 4; Miss Kaiser defeated Miss Fergus, 2 up 1; Mrs. Colburn defeated Mrs. Smalley, 4 up 3.

Semi-finals—Mrs. Hammond defeated Miss Helmer, 2 up 1; Mrs. Colburn defeated Miss Kaiser, 2 up 1.

Final—Mrs. Harry D. Hammond, Indianapolis, defeated Mrs. F. S. Colburn, Glen View, 5 up 3.

Championship Consolation—Miss Jennie Jones, Sioux City, defeated Mrs. Frank G. Jones, Memphis, 2 up; Hinsdale cup, Mrs. L. N. Brochon, Hinsdale, defeated Mrs. J. L. Pfaff, Midlothian, 6 up 4; Association cup, Miss H. Gowing, Skokie, defeated Miss Winters Goldham, Toledo, 1 up, 19 holes.

WESTERN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Interlachen Country Club, Minneapolis, Minn., August 26-27.

The lanky pro. from Whitemarsh Valley—Jim Barnes—was good enough to beat a rather classy field at Interlachen for the Western Open by one stroke. His nearest competitor was Willie Kidd of Algonquin, who at the end of 54 holes led the field, his competitive record score of 69 for the first round on the second day giving him a lead of 3 shots over Barnes. Kidd's chances looked rosy until a hooked drive among the trees cost him a 6 for the hole Barnes getting a 4. This with other unlucky kicks put Kidd virtually out of the running for first place, unless he could get a 3 at the home hole—484 yards in length. Some 250 yards from the tee a pond is located, necessitating a restriction of a man's ability to get distance but at the same time putting a premium on a well-placed shot. Kidd played his tee shot perfectly and, getting a good lie, took a wallop for the green. A ball was never better hit or placed, and the spectators were electrified to see it sail through the air and after a first bounce roll beautifully on to the green and right on up toward the hole, where it came to rest within 5 feet of the hole. A 3 was needed to tie, and holing the putt would give it. However, it was not his day. The putt was made but the ball did not drop, hanging on the edge of the hole, thereby giving him a 4, and the second place. The field was a classy one, and a number of players from the East were among the entrants.

The two leading cards and the par score of the course follow:

Par: Out	4	5	4	4	5	3	4	5	4—38	
In	4	3	5	5	6	4	4	4	5—40—78	
J. M. Barnes, Whitemarsh Valley, Pa.:										
Out	4	6	4	4	5	3	3	4	5—38	
In	4	3	5	5	4	3	4	2	5—35—73	
Out	5	5	4	4	5	3	4	4	4—38	
In	3	3	5	5	5	3	4	4	5—37—75—148	
Out	4	4	4	4	4	3	5	4	5—37	
In	3	3	5	5	4	4	4	4	4—36—73	
Out	4	4	4	3	3	4	3	6	4—35	
In	3	4	4	4	5	5	4	4	4—37—72—145—293	
William Kidd, St. Louis:										
Out	3	4	4	4	5	3	4	5	4—36	
In	4	4	4	5	5	3	4	5	5—39—75	
Out	4	4	5	4	4	3	3	4	4—35	
In	4	2	3	6	6	4	5	5	4—39—74—149	
Out	4	4	4	3	4	2	4	5	5—35	
In	3	4	3	6	4	3	3	4	4—34—69	
Out	4	4	5	4	5	3	3	5	4—37	
In	4	4	5	6	5	4	4	3	4—39—76—145—294	

J. M. Barnes, Whitemarsh, 148, 145—293; William Kidd, St. Louis, 149, 145—294; George Sargent, Chevy Chase, 152, 144—296; Tom McNamara, Boston, 147, 149—296; James Burke, Thunder Bay, Canada, 152, 150—302; G. O. Simpson, Omaha, 146, 156—302; J. A. Donaldson, Glen View, 149, 155—304; Frank Adams, French Lick, Indiana, 153, 152—305; Herbert Strong, Inwood, N. Y., 148, 157—305;

1, Starting tent and score board at Michigan Open and City Championships; 2, A. J. Hood, Detroit Golf Club Champion, 1914; 3, 18th tee and fair green, Detroit Golf Club; 4, Ernest Way, Professional, Detroit Golf Club; 5, 16th fair green, from tee, Detroit Golf Club. Hutchison and "Detroit Saturday Night" Photos.

Dow George, Interlachen, 157, 148—305; Bob Peebles, Topeka, 151, 155—306; C. W. Hall, Birmingham, 158, 151—309; Louis Berrien, Salt Lake, 155, 156—311; David Kober, Evanston, Ill., 160, 154—314; W. C. Sherwood, Memphis, 149, 165—314; Otis George, Lafayette, 160, 155—315; *Harry G. Legg, Minikahda, 156, 159—315; James Simpson, Blue Mound, 163, 152—315; William Hanley, Annandale, 157, 159—316; David Wilson, Chenequah, 154, 163—317; F. McLeod, Columbia, D. C., 158, 161—319; Will Brown, Westward Ho, 163, 158—321; Jack Croke, Calumet, 165, 156—321; Bob Taylor, Minikahda, 163, 160—323; Bernard Nicholls, Wilmington, 161, 164—325; A. B. Ritchie, Oconomowoc, 161, 166—327; *G. K. Labatt, Interlachen, 160, 169—329; *I. D. Fish, Minikahda, 164, 166—330; *Lynn Johnson, Minikahda, 171, 161—332; *Dudley Mudge, St. Paul, 172, 161—333; Fred Bartsch, Aberdeen, S. D., 176, 166—342; Henry Cowie, St. Paul, 172, 171—343; James Herd, South Shore, 170, 176—346; *G. P. Williamson, Interlachen, 172, 174—346; *D. H. Tweedie, Wheaton, 172, 174—346; *G. J. Carroll, Blue Mound, 174, 173—347; *Frank Jaffray, Minikahda, 178, 179—357; *A. H. Barnard, Blue Mound, 207, 201—408.

The following withdrew: *H. McMillan, Minikahda; G. L. Black, Sheboygan; *A. A. Jonas, Blue Mound; *James Thompson, St. Paul; J. H. Roseman, Des Moines; *H. S. Hadfield, Blue Mound; and James Rose, Milwaukee.

Mr. Harry Legg and Otis George captured the first prize in the amateur-professional competition, Mr. Frank Jaffray and J. A. Donaldson being second.

* Amateur.

CHICAGO CITY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at Jackson Park, August 3 to 8, 1914.

By Al Lesperance.

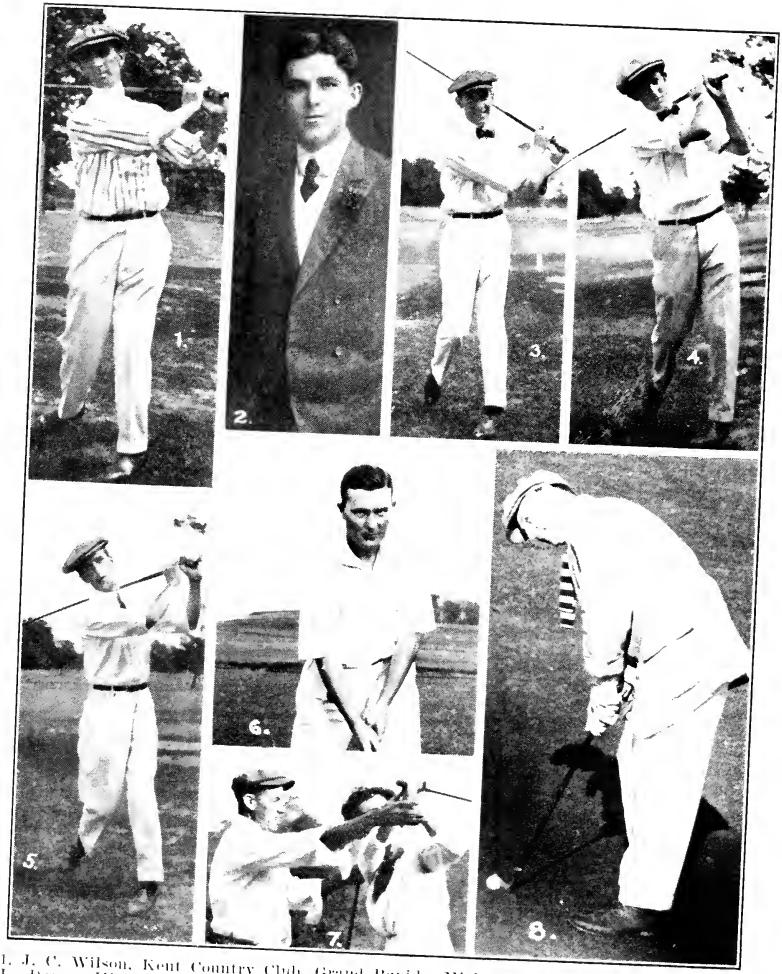
The city championship of Chicago was held as usual on the public links at Jackson Park. It was run under the direction of H. A. Smith, Secretary of the Jackson Park Club. This is the tenth year of this event, and it is always a big success. One hundred and seventy players entered and played the first eighteen holes. A. J. Samuelson of the home club had low score, made up as follows:

Out	4	4	5	4	4	5	5	3	4—38
Par	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	4—35
In	3	4	4	2	5	5	4	3	4—34—72
Par	4	4	4	3	5	5	4	3	4—36—71

He was two strokes in the lead of E. T. Bartlett, who had a 74; two players were tied at 75—M. F. Deming, the 1913 city champion, and Tom Hunter. Following is the list of the best sixty-four scores (where no club is given, player is "unattached"):

A. J. Samuelson, Jackson Park, 72; Murray F. Deming, Jackson Park, 74; E. T. Bartlett, Englewood, 74; Tom Hunter, Jackson Park, 75; Walter C. Crowdus, Flossmoor, 76; Ivan Webster, Jackson Park, 76; C. V. Williams, Garfield Park, 76; Hobart Hoge, Jackson Park, 76; Howard B. Maguire, 76; James McLaughlin, Jackson Park, 77; Oscar Lind, Garfield Park, 77; W. Rautenbusch, Garfield Park, 77; N. J. McLeod, Garfield Park, 78; Dr. D. T. McGill, Jackson Park, 78; Milton Connell, 78; Al Lesperance, Jackson Park, 78; Stanley Willett, Jackson Park, 78; John Dole, Calumet, 78; Joseph N. McDonald, Calumet, 79; George R. West, 79; Lee Thiltges, 79; E. Eldridge, Jackson Park, 79; A. W. Lowenthal, Hyde Park, 79; H. Andres, 79; James McGinnis, 80; R. G. Brennan, Jackson Park, 80; F. Mashburn, 80; T. A. Ballantyne, Maywood, 80; William S. Eagle, Jr., Windsor, 80; D. F. Davis, Jackson Park, 80; Arthur Johnson, Bowen, 80; W. W. Schoff, 81; O. H. Hunter, 81; F. C. Adams, 81; D. McNeilly, Jackson Park, 81; C. F. Kinnucan, Bowen, 81; Harold D'Ancona, Ravisloe, 82; Dr. E. A. Schmuck, 82; Glen Clarke, Beverly, 82; R. A. Bowker, Jackson Park, 82; Hubert Snively, Hyde Park, 82; J. M. Britz, Jackson Park, 82; J. Chandler, 82; F. Llewellyn, 82; S. O. Burroughs, 82; M. M. Moran, Jackson Park, 83; R. D. Wolf, Jackson Park, 83; C. H. McCracken, Jackson Park, 83; M. McMahon, 83; E. Zeisler, 83; Arthur B. Sweet, Edgewood, 83; R. S. Bone, Hyde Park, 83; Francis Ward, 84; J. A. Bender, Beverly, 84; B. Ramsey, 84; J. Malooly, 84; J. G. Sanford, Jackson Park, 84; M. Heller, Ravisloe, 84; William A. Bone, Hyde Park, 84; J. A. Turner, Jackson Park, 84; Kenneth Carpenter, Beverly, 84; Lee W. Mida, Hammond, 84; M. Meyers, 85; J. M. Steele, Jackson Park, 85.

Play was a good deal better in the second round, and at the end of the day it was found that two players had tied for the gold medal.



1, J. C. Wilson, Kent Country Club, Grand Rapids, Mich.; 2, Otto Hackbarth; 3, Jack L. Daray, Highlands Golf Club, Grand Rapids, Mich.; 4, Frank Waugh, Muskegon, Mich.; 5, William Davidson, Professional, Flint, Mich.; 6, Bim Lovekin, Woodmont Country Club, Milwaukee, Wis.; 7, Bob Aitken, Triple A, St. Louis, Mo., giving a lesson; 8, Richard Clarkson, Northland Country Club, Duluth, Minn.

M. Deming, with a fine round of 73, was able to tie A. J. Samuelson at 148, as the latter had taken 76 for his second round.

S. O. Burroughs had low score for the second day with 72.

Two match rounds of eighteen holes were played the next day. The first round saw the defeat of the 1913 title holder, M. Deming, by Art B. Sweet of Edgewood, by 1 up.

The afternoon round furnished some fine battles for the spectators, one of the best matches was between Howard Maguire, unattached, and Tom Hunter of the Jackson Park Club; these two halved the first six holes of their match. Hunter, by winning the seventh and ninth, and losing the eighth was 1 up at the turn, having gone out in 37 to his opponent's 38. Maguire lost the first hole coming home, but squared the match at the thirteenth, and by running down a putt for a three on the sixteenth green was 1 up for the first time.

Hunter by holing a twenty-two-foot putt on the seventeenth to halve and a twelve-foot putt on the last green to win, squared the match.

The first extra hole was halved, and Hunter was defeated on the twentieth green when he rimmed the cup for a four.

Joe McDonald of Wheaton, Western intercollegiate champion, eliminated G. R. West of the home club, who has been runner-up for the last two years. Following are the results of the first and second rounds:

First Round—Arthur B. Sweet defeated Murray F. Deming, 1 up; S. O. Burroughs defeated R. A. Bowker, 5 and 3; William Rautenbusch defeated Hubert Snively, 4 and 3; J. Chandler defeated E. T. Bartlett, 1 up, 19 holes; O. H. Hunter defeated Hobart Hoge, 4 and 3; James McLaughlin defeated N. J. McLeod, 7 and 5; Ivan Webster defeated T. A. Ballantyne, 1 up, 20 holes; John Dole won from Dr. E. A. Schmuck by default; A. J. Samuelson defeated James McGinnis, 8 and 7; R. G. Brennan defeated Milton Connell, 3 and 2; Tom Hunter defeated C. V. Williams, 6 and 5; Howard B. Maguire defeated Martin McMahon, 5 and 4; Walter C. Crowdus defeated Glen Clarke, 7 and 6; Al Lesperance defeated Lee Thilges, 3 and 2; Joseph N. McDonald defeated W. W. Schoff, 6 and 5; George R. West defeated Stanley Willett, 7 and 5.

Second Round—Sweet defeated Burroughs, 2 up; Rautenbusch defeated Chandler, 6 and 5; O. H. Hunter defeated McLaughlin, 5 and 4; Webster defeated Dole, 2 and 1; Samuelson defeated Brennan, 2 up; Maguire defeated T. Hunter, 1 up, 20 holes; Crowdus defeated Lesperance, 4 and 2; McDonald defeated West, 2 up.

W. Rautenbusch was in fine form the next morning; his score of 69 equaled the record set by "Chick" Evans, Jr., and put him 10 up on Art B. Sweet at the end of the first eighteen holes. He was satisfied to play for halves in the afternoon, and finally won his match 9 and 8.

Joe McDonald succeeded in defeating W. Crowdus by 1 up after being 4 up in the morning. Following are the results of the third round:

W. Rautenbusch defeated A. Sweet, 9 and 8; C. H. Hunter defeated Ivan Webster, 2 and 1; A. J. Samuelson defeated H. Maguire, 4 and 3; J. McDonald defeated W. Crowdus, 1 up.

In the semi-finals W. Rautenbusch, Garfield Park, defeated O. H. Hunter after being down all the way to the twenty-ninth hole; he then won the next two holes, and finished 3 and 1 on his opponent.

J. N. McDonald won his match in this round by default from A. J. Samuelson, as it was necessary for the latter to withdraw on account of business.

The final battle between McDonald and Rautenbusch was quite exciting as the winner was 4 down at the end of the morning round, and he had only gained one hole going out in the afternoon, which left him 3 down at the last turn. From that point, however, he played fine golf, and by finishing the last nine holes in 34 was able to start the thirty-sixth hole 1 up. McDonald made a grand effort to win when he drove hole-high on the last hole but off to one side of the green. His approach lay within a foot of the hole, but he could get no better than a halve at this hole, as Rautenbusch holed his putt from ten feet for a 3, which gave him the match.

The Jackson Park Cup, the second flight trophy, went to R. D. Wolf of Jackson Park, who defeated his clubmate, M. N. Moren, by 4 and 3.

Hobart Hoge of Jackson Park won the consolation trophy, defeating Lee Thilges of the same club by 1 up.

THE DAWSON GOLF TROPHY.

A striking "Tom Morris" memorial presented by Mr. Peter Dawson of Glasgow to the Western Golf Association of America for competition annually on the birthday of the "Grand Old Man of Golf."

TOM MORRIS MEMORIAL TROPHY COMPETITION.

Won by the Team of the Cleveland Country Club.

THE WINNING SCORE.

5,995 yards. Par 75. Special Par 92.

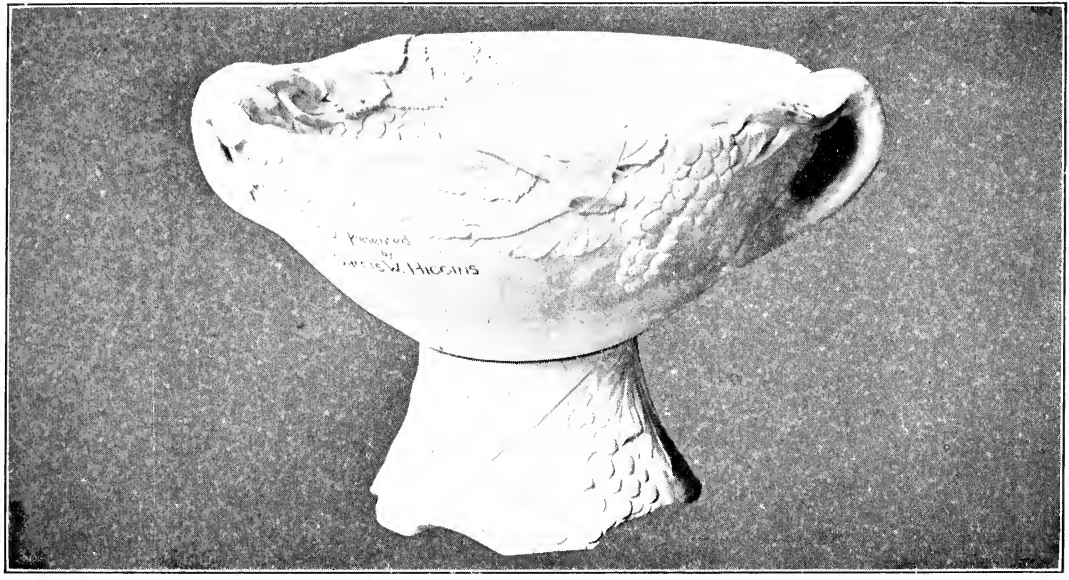
M. A. Hanna	12 up
F. K. Moore	8 up
N. C. King	7 up
C. H. Stanley	7 up
M. H. Wilson, Jr.	6 up
J. D. Climo	3 up
S. H. Large	3 up
C. A. Ricks	1 up
Total	47 up

CLUB SCORES.

Cleveland C. C.	47 up	La Grange C. C.	12 down
Ridgemoor C. C.	37 up	Calumet C. C.	12 down
Portage Lake G. C.	18 up	Detroit G. C.	13 down
San Francisco G. and C. C.	17 up	South Shore C. C.	14 down
Detroit C. C.	13 up	Inverness Club	14 down
Denver C. C.	11 up	Exmoor C. C.	15 down
Arlington C. C.	7 up	Lakewood C. C.	16 down
Park Ridge C. C.	4 up	Interlachen C. C.	19 down
Soangetaha C. C.	3 up	Topeka C. C.	23 down
Victoria Club	2 up	Cedar Rapids C. C.	24 down
Virginia C. C.	2 up	Elgin C. C.	25 down
Los Angeles C. C.	1 up	Riverside G. C.	26 down
Des Moines G. and C. C.	1 up	Beverly C. C.	26 down
Indianapolis C. C.	even	Hammond C. C.	27 down
Midlothian C. C.	1 down	Jackson Park G. C.	29 down
Chicago G. C.	1 down	Glen Oak C. C.	32 down
St. Paul T. and C. C.	1 down	Elyria C. C.	33 down
Blue Mound C. C.	3 down	Kansas City C. C.	34 down
Rockford C. C.	4 down	Wichita C. C.	34 down
Joliet C. C.	4 down	Sinnissippi G. C.	35 down
Northland C. C.	4 down	St. Joseph C. C.	37 down
Edgewood G. C.	5 down	Glen View Club	38 down
Windsor G. C.	5 down	Omaha C. C.	38 down
Annandale C. C.	5 down	Rock Island Avenue G. C.	49 down
Colorado Springs G. C.	8 down	Wheaton G. C.	52 down
Minikahda Club	8 down	Interlachen G. C.	56 down
San Gabriel Valley C. C.	8 down	Mayfield C. C.	67 down
Skokie C. C.	9 down	Hutchinson C. C.	69 down
Salt Lake C. C.	9 down	Sioux City B. C.	81 down
Homewood C. C.	11 down		

BEST INDIVIDUAL SCORES (Up).

M. A. Hanna, Cleveland C.C.	12	W. H. Thompson, Portage Lake G.C.	6
J. E. Bailly, Ridgemoor C.C.	10	Norman Macbeth, Los Angeles C.C.	6
W. F. Lancton, Windsor G.C.	8	G. P. Williamson, Interlachen C.C.	6
Kenneth P. Edwards, Midlothian C.C.	8	Gordon Copeland, Skokie C.C.	6
S. S. Jackson, Windsor G.C.	8	M. H. Wilson, Jr., Cleveland C.C.	6
F. K. Moore, Cleveland C.C.	8	W. K. Wood, Homewood C.C.	6
H. C. Simons, La Grange C.C.	8	R. Switzer, Soangetaha C.C.	6
R. E. Williams, Ridgemoor C.C.	7	W. D. Bancker, Sr., Indianapolis C.C.	6
A. M. Jones, Ridgemoor C.C.	7	Paul Linderberg, Arlington C.C.	5
John C. Pryor, Portage Lake G.C.	7	C. T. Brown, Denver C.C.	5
N. C. King, Cleveland C.C.	7	J. Jarl, Soangetaha C.C.	5
C. H. Stanley, Cleveland C.C.	7	W. W. Bacon, San Gabriel Valley C.C.	5
John Hosch, Blue Mound C.C.	7	A. Parry, Indianapolis C.C.	5
E. M. Kelley, Rockford C.C.	7	Vincent Whitney, San Francisco G. and C.C.	5
M. S. Phillips, Victoria Club	7	J. M. Sellers, Chicago G.C.	5
Harlow Hurley, Topeka C.C.	7	H. P. Bend, St. Paul T. and C.C.	5
W. F. Garby, San Francisco G. and C. C.	6	Frank Keeler, Rockford C.C.	5
C. W. Hagemann, Ridgemoor C.C.	6	Carl Savage, Rockford C.C.	5
O. D. Hemming, Colorada Sp'ngs C.C.	6	F. DeWitt, Jr., Edgewood G.C.	5



CRAFTS W. HIGGINS TROPHY.

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The Crafts W. Higgins trophy, emblematic of the team championship of the Women's Western Golf Association, was won by the Los Angeles Country Club with the score of 15 up on par. Exmoor Country Club, which won the trophy last year with 8 up on par, finished 11 down. Homewood Country Club was second, with 4 up. Other scores were:

Ridge Country Club, Chicago, 5 down; San Gabriel Valley, Cal., Country Club, 7 down; Tacoma, Wash., Country Club, 9 down; Hinsdale, Ill., Golf Club, 10 down; Wheaton, Ill., Golf Club, 10 down; Edgewater Golf Club, Chicago, 11 down; Beverly Country Club, Chicago, 17 down; Mayfield Country Club, Cleveland, 17 down; Skokie Country Club, Chicago, 17 down; Euclid Club, Cleveland, 33 down; Blue Mound Country Club, Milwaukee, 37 down; White Bear Yacht Club, St. Paul, 41 down; Town and Country Club, St. Paul, 44 down; Edgebrook Country Club, Chicago, 46 down.

The best score made by a Chicago woman was the 7 up of Mrs. W. France Anderson of Hinsdale. Mrs. Guy Cochrane, Los Angeles, had the best individual score, 8 up. The scores:

Mrs. Cochrane, 8 up; Miss Mellus, 7 up; Mrs. Frank Griffith, 1 up; Mrs. Fred Griffith, 1 down. Total, 15 up.

WESTERN INTERCOLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the La Grange Country Club, June 19.

Chicago defeated Wisconsin for the four-man team championship, 12—0.

CHICAGO.		WISCONSIN.	
Charles F. Grimes	3	J. K. Corley	0
Joshua Stevenson (Captain)	3	J. M. Cummings	0
J. N. McDonald	3	Kenneth Layman	0
William S. Tabor	3	Ralph Wyatt	0
Total	12	Total	0

The individual championship was decided by thirty-six holes medal play. J. N. McDonald, Chicago, first; Joshua Stevenson, Chicago, second; Frank White, Illinois, third. Charles F. Grimes of Chicago, last year's Western intercollegiate champion, defaulted his title.

WESTERN INTERSCHOLASTIC CHAMPIONSHIP.

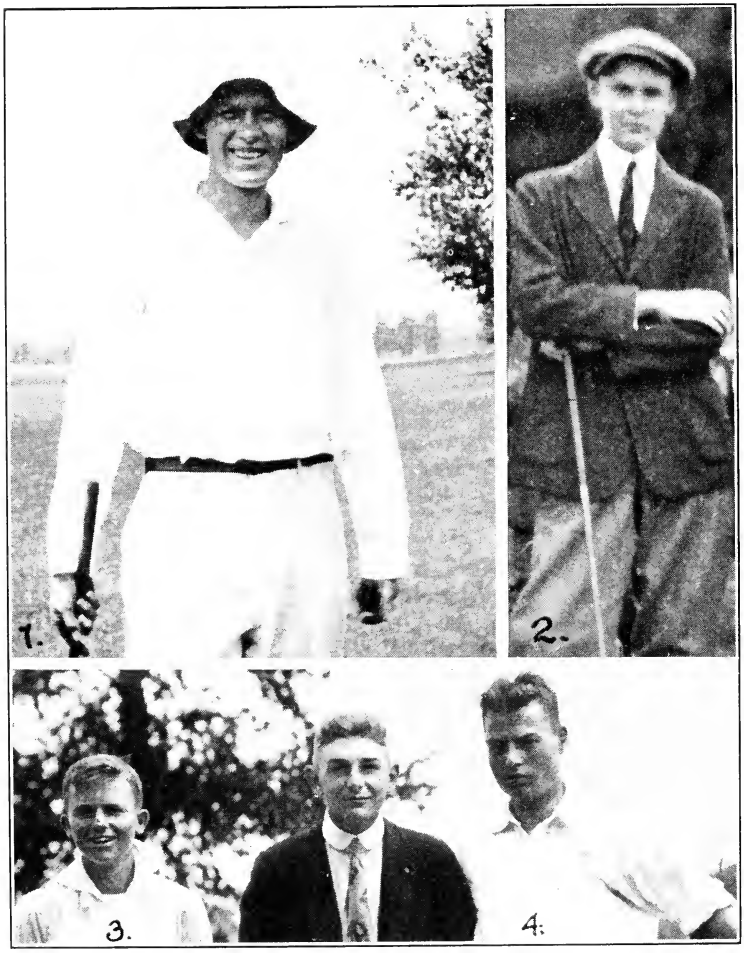
Robert Markwell of New Trier High School, Kenilworth, Ill., scored a sparkling victory in the thirty-six-hole final match for the Western interscholastic golf championship, staged at the Ravisloe Country Club of Chicago, defeating Harold D'Ancona, the University High aspirant, by the score of 8 and 6. The tournament opened June 29 and continued to July 2.

Both of the finalists held club titles. Markwell, who was a senior at New Trier and will consequently be unable to defend the title this year, was the champion of the Lake Shore Country Club, while young D'Ancona had captured the Ravisloe leadership. The New Trier team, with Markwell as a member, also won the Cook County high school team championship during the spring of 1914.

Bradford Smith of Hyde Park High School led the contingent of fifty-two "prep" golfers in the qualifying round with a card of 79. He took 39 going out and 40 from the turn. The Ravisloe par is 75. Young Smith was presented with a handsome bronze cup in lieu of the customary medal.

Hubert Snively of Hyde Park won the second flight trophy with a crushing victory over Horace McDougal of Calumet High, winning by the one-sided score of 14 and 12. Maurice Loeb, University High, took the championship consolation prize, defeating Carroll Cormack, New Trier, 9 and 7. The second flight consolation went to Reuben Shields, Blue Island, who defeated M. Gross, Thornton, 7 and 6. The summaries in the championship play were:

Qualifying Round—Bradford Smith, Hyde Park, 39, 40—79; William Tansey, Bowen, 39, 41—80; Hobart Hoge, Hyde Park, 41, 40—81; Maurice Loeb, University



1, Joseph N. McDonald, Western Intercollegiate Champion, 1914; 2, Charles F. Grimes, Western Junior Champion, 1914; 3, Geo. Hubbell; 4, Perry Adair.

High, 41, 42—83; Henry Waldschmidt, Thornton, 41, 42—83; William Bone, Hyde Park, 42, 42—84; Harold D'Ancona, University High, 44, 41—85; Robert Markwell, New Trier, 40, 45—85; William Eagle, Jr., Hyde Park, 41, 45—86; Ben Toleson, Thornton, 42, 44—86; Carroll Cormack, New Trier, 47, 42—89; Tom Gentles, Hyde Park, 43, 47—90; A. Howell, Evanston, 45, 45—90; Julian Crowdus, Hyde Park, 48, 42—90; M. McMahon, Bowen, 48, 42—90; H. White, Calumet, 44, 46—90. First Round—Smith defeated Toleson, 1 up, 19 holes; Gentles defeated Waldschmidt, 3 and 2; Markwell defeated Howell, 9 and 8; Hoge defeated Cormack, 5 and 4; Eagle defeated Tansey, 4 and 3; Crowdus defeated Bone, 5 and 3; D'Ancona defeated McMahon, 1 up; White defeated Loeb, 1 up, 19 holes. Second Round—Gentles defeated Smith, 1 up; Markwell defeated Hoge, 9 and 8; Crowdus defeated Eagle, 1 up; D'Ancona defeated White, 3 and 2. Semi-finals—Markwell defeated Gentles, 4 and 3; D'Ancona defeated Crowdus, 3 and 2.

Final—Markwell defeated D'Ancona, 8 and 6.

WESTERN JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.

John M. Simpson of Galesburg led the field in the qualifying round of the above championship with a well-played 76. His victory was short lived, however, as he was eliminated by Charles F. Grimes in the first round by the large margin of 5 and 4. Grimes ultimately won the championship. Summary:

Qualifying scores—John Simpson, Galesburg, 76; Lester Mason, Jackson Park, 78; Hobart Hoge, Jackson Park, 81; Walter Crowdus, Flossmoor, 81; Julian Crowdus, Hyde Park, 82; Tom B. Davis, Rock Island, 83; Henry P. Isham, Lake Geneva, 83; C. F. Grimes, Calumet, 84; Lawson M. Watts, Nashville, 84; Robert Shealy, Garfield Park, 85; W. L. Viele, Jr., Rock Island, 85; F. C. Watson, Rock Island, 85; C. L. Weems, Quincy, 86; T. Thompson, Garfield Park, 86; H. D'Ancona, Ravisloe, 86; B. Smith, Hyde Park, 86. First round—Grimes d. Simpson, 5 and 4; Thompson d. J. Crowdus, 3 and 1; Weems d. Davis, 5 and 4; Hoge d. Shealy, 5 and 4; Watson d. Mason, 5 and 4; Isham d. D'Ancona, 2 and 1; Watts d. Smith, 2 up; W. Crowdus d. Viele, 3 and 2. Second round—Grimes d. Thompson, 3 and 2; Hoge d. Weems, 1 up, 20 holes; Watson d. Isham, 1 up; Watts d. Crowdus, 2 and 1. Semi-final round—Grimes d. Hoge, 5 and 3; Watts d. Watson, 5 and 4.

Final round—Charles F. Grimes, Calumet, d. Lawson W. Watts, Nashville, 6 and 5.

Consolation—John Simpson, Galesburg, d. Lester Mason, Jackson Park, 7 and 5. Second flight—W. R. McCallum, Calumet, d. Moritz Loeb, Idlewild, 1 up, 19 holes.

DOUGLAS TWEEDIE.
Chicago.

Olympic Cup Competition

Held at Kent Country Club, Grand Rapids, Michigan.

The Western Golf Association did not enter a team in the Olympic cup competition, held the Saturday prior to the Western amateur championship, and the result was in doubt until the last pair turned in their cards. Had William Alden Smith, Jr., of the Michigan team not blown, taking an 89 in the afternoon, the poorest he has ever played his home course, the Wolverines might have won the massive trophy notwithstanding Fraser Hale's great 70. The Central Illinois Golf Association changed from C. L. Weems to Noah Dixon, who took 87 where Weems, playing a scoring round informally, got a 77. Had Weems played on the team, they would have won.

As it was, the Chicago District Golf Association quartette finished three points in the lead over the Intercollegiate team and six ahead of Michigan. Fraser Hale had the best individual score—146—being followed closely by John Simpson of Galesburg with 148.

Much interest attached to the event, in which ten teams were entered, with the team scores resulting as follows:

Chicago District G.A.—Fraser Hale, 76, 70—146; Kenneth P. Edwards, 75, 78—153; J. C. Le Duc, 77, 87—164; E. H. Bankard, Jr., 83, 82—165. Total, 628.

Intercollegiate G.A.—W. H. Gardner, 77, 75—152; E. P. Allis, 3rd, 80, 79—159; J. W. Hubbell, 79, 80—159; John Heyburn, 79, 82—161. Total, 631.

Michigan G.A.—Howard B. Lee, 80, 74—154; James D. Standish, Jr., 75, 77—152; Phil Stanton, 82, 77—159; Wm. Alden Smith, Jr., 80, 89—169. Total, 634.

Central Illinois G.A.—John Simpson, 73, 75—148; Howard Walton, 75, 80—155; Geo. W. Bunn, Jr., 84, 85—169; Noah Dixon, 87, 79—166. Total, 638.

Detroit City G.A.—Guy A. Miller, 84, 78—162; L. L. Bredin, 83, 81—164; Raymond Russel, 84, 80—164; T. Worden Hunter, 88, 78—166. Total, 656.

Western Interscholastic G.A.—H. Grinnell, 82, 78—160; Robert Markwell, 80, 80—160; Moritz Loeb, 89, 77—166; H. D'Ancona, 87, 89—176. Total, 662.

Nebraska G.A.—John W. Hughes, 83, 76—159; Albert Cahn, Sr., 79, 85—164; Ray Low, 87, 83—170; Frank W. Hale, 87, 84—171. Total, 664.

Trans-Mississippi G.A.—W. J. Foye, 82, 81—163; John D. Cady, 82, 83—165; Morgan Nugent, 85, 84—169; Eddie Limberg, 87, 83—170. Total, 667.

Ohio G.A.—Prescott Bush, 83, 73—156; De Witt Balch, 80, 87—167; George R. Balch, 89, 80—169; D. S. Gray, 90, 93—183. Total, 675.

Wisconsin G.A.—Phil Swift, 82, 85—167; G. W. Mosher, 81, 86—167; Gordon Yule, 77, 91—168; Louis Allis, 81, 92—173. Total, 675.

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RESUME OF TRANS-MISSISSIPPI GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

1901—Held at Kansas City Country Club; winner, John Stuart, Cedar Rapids Country Club; runner-up, Warren Dickinson, Des Moines Golf and Country Club; medalist, W. J. Foye, Omaha Country Club. Team

match, Omaha Country Club, 47 down. Consolation, F. S. Young, Kansas City Country Club.

1902—Held at Omaha Country Club; winner, R. R. Kimball, Omaha Country Club; runner-up, Warren Dickinson, Des Moines Golf and Country Club; medalist, R. R. Kimball, Omaha Country Club, 77. Team match, Omaha Country Club, 59 down. Consolation, J. B. Rahm, Omaha Country Club. Women's Championship; won by Mrs. George W. Roope, Denver Country Club; Mrs. D. B. Ellis, Denver Country Club, runner-up.

1903—Held at Waveland Park Golf Club, Des Moines; winner, John R. Maxwell, Keokuk Country Club; runner-up, R. H. Finkbine, Des Moines Golf and Country Club; medalist, B. F. Guinand, Des Moines, 154. Team match, Golf and Country Club, Des Moines, 54 down. Consolation, F. P. Carr, Des Moines Golf and Country Club. Women's Championship; won by Miss A. B. Davis, Keokuk Country Club; Mrs. W. E. Staller, Des Moines, runner-up.

1904—Held at Minikahda Club, Minneapolis; winner, H. P. Bend, St. Paul Town and Country Club; runner-up, J. T. Stewart, Omaha Country Club; medalist, C. T. Jaffray, Minikahda. Team match, Minikahda Club, 61 down. Consolation, Warren Dickinson, Des Moines. Women's Championship; won by Miss Katherine Moulton, Minikahda; Miss Florence Harrison, Minikahda, runner-up.

1905—Held at Glen Echo Country Club, St. Louis; winner, Warren Dickinson, Des Moines; runner-up, Walter Fairbanks, Denver; medalist, Sprague Abbott, Omaha. Team match, St. Louis Country Club, 12 down. Consolation, P. R. Talbot, Hutchinson. Women's Championship; won by Mrs. E. H. Sprague, Omaha Country Club; Mrs. W. F. Burns, Omaha Country Club, runner-up.

1906—Held at Omaha Field Club; winner, C. T. Jaffray, Minikahda; runner-up, F. W. McCartney, Denver Country Club; medalist, Sprague Abbott, Omaha Country Club. Team match, Town and Country Club, St. Paul. Consolation, M. Doran, Town and Country Club, St. Paul.

1907—Held at Rock Island Arsenal Golf Club; winner, Sprague Abbott, Omaha Country Club; runner-up, H. G. Legg, Minikahda; medalist, Ardo Mitchell, Rock Island, 158. Team match, Rock Island Arsenal. Consolation, Ardo Mitchell, Rock Island.

1908—Held at Evanston Golf Club, Kansas City; winner, E. H. Seaver, Evanston; runner-up, H. G. Legg, Minikahda; medalist, E. H. Seaver, Evanston. Team match, Evanston Golf Club. Consolation, P. R. Talbott, Hutchinson.

1909—Held at Golf and Country Club, Des Moines; winner, H. G. Legg, Minikahda; runner-up, B. G. Guinand, Des Moines; medalist, H. G. Legg, 166. Team match, Hyperion Club, Des Moines. Consolation, I. I. Elbert, Des Moines.

1910—Held at the Denver Country Club, Denver; winner, H. G. Legg, Minikahda; runner-up, W. Sheehan, Hyperion; medalist, H. G. Legg. Team match, Hyperion Club. Consolation, H. A. Fisher, Denver.

1911—Held at the Omaha Country Club; winner, H. G. Legg, Minikahda; runner-up, Ralph Ryder, Hyperion; medalist, R. W. Hodge, Evanston. Team match, Omaha Country Club. Consolation, Ray Low, Omaha.

1912—Held at the Minikahda Country Club, Minneapolis; winner, H. G. Legg, Minikahda; runner-up, W. D. Middleton, Rock Island; medalist, H. G. Legg. Consolation, F. H. Gaines, Omaha.

1913—Held at the Glen Echo Country Club, St. Louis; winner, Stewart Stickney, St. Louis; runner-up, R. P. Rider, Des Moines; medalist, C. R. Jones, Kansas City, and Carl Piepho tied. Consolation, P. R. Talbot.

CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITION.

Held at the Evanston Golf Club, Kansas City, Mo.

The door at last opened for Jack Cady of Moline when his persistent knocking was rewarded by his receiving the blue ribbon of the association at Kansas City. The entry was the largest in the history of the association,

some 319 being received. They did not all start. Surprises were the order of the tourney, and one after another of the cracks were eliminated to the chagrin of the dopesters, who never like to see their slate broken. Harry Legg of Minneapolis was the medallist. Summary:

Qualifying scores—Harry G. Legg, Minikahda, 150; S. W. Reynolds, Omaha, 155; H. C. Campbell, Kansas City, 158; Carl O. Anderson, Lawrence, 160; R. J. Campbell, Evanston, 161; R. S. Kampmann, San Antonio, 162; J. W. Hughes, Omaha, 162; G. L. Miller, Evanston, 162; Harvey Fleming, Evanston, 162; John D. Cady, Rock Island, 163; Sterling E. Edmunds, Glen Echo, 163; Dr. S. R. Cunningham, Oklahoma City, 163; M. A. McLaughlin, Denver, 163; F. M. Rhodes, Blue Hills, 164; R. W. Hodge, Evanston, 164; Grant Chamberlain, Hutchinson, 164; G. H. Walker, St. Louis C. C., 164; Elliott H. Jones, Evanston, 164; J. L. Johnston, Kansas City, 165; E. R. Morrison, Evanston, 166; C. G. Besch, Glen Echo, 166; J. A. Roberts, Kansas City, 166; C. R. Jones, Evanston, 166; R. G. Harrison, Des Moines, 166; W. N. Chambers, Omaha, 166; T. H. Mastin, Evanston, 166; Alden B. Swift, St. Joseph, 167; George Frederickson, Oklahoma City, 167; L. V. Graham, Evanston, 167; Allen McNeal, Topeka, 167; Jesse L. Carleton, Glen Echo, 167; J. W. S. Rhea, Memphis, 167.

First round—Legg d. Walker, 4 and 2; Chambers won from Fleming by default; R. J. Campbell d. Besch, 1 up, 19 holes; McLaughlin d. Graham, 3 and 2; C. R. Jones d. Hughes, 1 up; Carleton d. Hodge, 3 and 2; Edmunds d. Swift, 1 up, 24 holes; Johnston d. H. C. Campbell, 2 and 1; Reynolds d. E. H. Jones, 5 and 4; Cady d. Mastin, 1 up, 19 holes; Kampmann d. Roberts, 2 and 1; Rhodes d. McNeal, 1 up, 19 holes; Harrison d. Miller, 1 up; Rhea d. Chamberlain, 4 and 3; Frederickson d. Cunningham, 4 and 2; Morrison d. Anderson, 2 and 1.

Second round—Chambers d. Legg, 2 up; McLaughlin d. R. J. Campbell, 6 and 5; Carleton d. C. R. Jones, 1 up, 19 holes; Edmunds d. Johnston, 4 and 3; Cady d. Reynolds, 1 up, 21 holes; Rhodes d. Kampmann, 1 up, 20 holes; Rhea d. Harrison, 1 up; Morrison d. Frederickson, 8 and 7.

Third round—McLaughlin d. Chambers, 7 and 6; Edmunds d. Carleton, 5 and 4; Cady d. Rhodes, 7 and 5; Morrison d. Rhea, 4 and 2.

Semi-final round—McLaughlin d. Edmunds, 6 and 5; Cady d. Morrison, 7 and 5.

Final round—John D. Cady, Rock Island, d. M. A. McLaughlin, Denver, 5 and 4.

Consolation—Dr. G. L. Miller, Evanston, d. L. V. Graham, Evanston, 6 and 5.

President's cup—F. M. Lewis, San Antonio, d. H. E. Brann, Evanston, 4 and 3; Secretary's cup—C. R. Jones, Evanston, d. W. H. Ammons, Des Moines, 5 and 4; Vice-President's cup—Russel H. Jones, Evanston, d. Frank Hale, Omaha, 7 and 5; Directors' cup—E. P. Ross, Evanston, d. J. A. Ross, Evanston, 6 and 5. Breck cup—Evanston Golf Club, 658.

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Sans Souci Country Club, Greenville, S. C.
Savannah Golf Club, Savannah, Ga.
Thomasville Golf Club, Thomasville, Ga.
Tate Springs Golf Club, Tate Springs, Tenn.

CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITION.

Held at the Memphis Country Club, Buntyn, Tenn.

Nelson Whitney for the fourth time captured the Southern title, defeating the fifteen-year-old phenomenon Percy Adair by a considerable margin. Adair was the sensation of the tourney, he defeating the Texas champion, that old long-driving Yale crack, G. V. Rotan of Waco, in the semi-finals by 4 and 3. Another match he had was with his father, George Adair, the moving spirit of golf in Atlanta, who could not move fast nor far enough to defeat his youngster and had to take his first licking from his son in competition. The match went to the nineteenth hole. Summary:

First round—C. O. Pfeil, Memphis, d. J. C. Hardy, Jr., New Orleans, 1 up; Jack Howard, New Orleans, d. Fred Birchett, New Orleans, 4 and 3; G. V. Rotan, Waco, d. Simpson Deane, Rome, 2 and 1; W. H. Rowan, Atlanta, d. C. M. Tyson, Knoxville, 3 and 2; C. H. Munger, Dallas, d. J. H. Doughty, Birmingham, by default; J. W. Falls, Memphis, d. S. J. White, New Orleans, 3 and 2; Whitney Bowden, New Orleans, d. Bryan Heard, Houston, 3 and 1; D. S. Henderson, Chattanooga, d. W. G. Gunn, Macon, 1 up; S. L. Probasco, Chattanooga, d. R. S. Kampmann, San Antonio, 3 and 1; F. C. Stahlman, Nashville, d. Frank G. Jones, Memphis, 4 and 2; J. A. Selden, Macon, d. L. C. Howard, New Orleans, 2 and 1; J. P. Edrington, Memphis, d. Roy Munger, Dallas, 3 and 1; Leigh Carroll, New Orleans, d. Douglas Roberts, Birmingham, 5 and 4; Joe Gumbel, New Orleans, d. Jack Spratt, Macon, 4 and 2; M. J. Condon, Memphis, d. J. L. Brode, Memphis, 6 and 5; Louis Jacoby, Dallas, d. J. P. R. Whittle, Memphis, 5 and 4; R. H. Baugh, Birmingham, d. Jack

1, T. B. Clark, Blue Hills Country Club, Kansas City, Mo.; 2, Walter Clark, Denver (Colo.) Country Club and his dog who acts as caddy; 3, Ray Groesbeck, Professional at New Municipal Golf Course, City Park, Denver; 4, Dave Kober, Evanston (Ill.) Golf Club; 5, J. W. Downing, Mgr. Midland Valley Country Club, St. Louis, Mo.; 6, John Mathey, Golf Professional Public Links, St. Louis; 7, Joe Mathews, Kansas City (Mo.) Country Club; 8, Fred Bell, Lakewood Country Club, Winner Trans-Mississippi Open Tournament at Evanston Golf Club, Kansas City, Mo., 1914.

Hartridge, Jacksonville, 2 and 1; F. T. Clark, Nashville, d. A. C. Hutchinson, Memphis, 2 and 1; J. E. England, Little Rock, d. W. P. Stewart, New Orleans, 3 and 2; R. M. Harding, unattached, d. W. F. Anderson, Jacksonville, 3 and 2; Nelson Whitney, New Orleans, d. C. W. Jones, Macon, 3 and 2; G. W. Fooshe, Memphis, d. W. Richardson, Memphis, 2 and 1; A. H. Mallory, Memphis, d. A. M. Throckmorton, unattached, 5 and 4; R. G. Bush, New Orleans, d. R. G. Blanton, Atlanta, 2 up; J. W. S. Rhea, Memphis, d. G. N. Aldredge, Dallas, 1 up; G. Watkins, Chattanooga, d. C. W. Rainwater, Atlanta, 6 and 5; E. Martin, Chattanooga, d. Percy Galbreath Memphis, by default; A. H. Tutwiller, Birmingham, d. D. S. Weaver, Memphis, 3 and 2; Ashton Evans, Memphis, d. E. L. Brown, Birmingham, 3 and 1; W. C. Johnson, Memphis, d. Willis Johnson, Fort Smith, 2 and 1; George W. Adair, Atlanta, d. N. C. Perkins, New Orleans, 7 and 6; Perry Adair, Atlanta, d. G. H. Davis, Birmingham, 2 up.

Second round—Jacoby d. Condon, 3 and 2; Baugh d. Clark, 5 and 4; England d. Harding, 1 up; Fooshe d. Mallory, 3 and 1; Bush d. Rhea, 3 and 2; Watkins d. Martin, 6 and 5; Whitney d. Tutwiller, 4 and 3; Evans d. Johnson, 1 up; Perry Adair d. G. W. Adair, 1 up, 19 holes; Bowden d. Falls, 1 up; Probasco d. Henderson, 1 up; Stahlman d. Selden, 1 up; Edrington d. Carroll, 1 up, 19 holes; Pfeil d. Gumbel, 3 and 1; Rotan d. Howard, 3 and 2; Rowan d. Munger, 5 and 4.

Third round—Rotan d. Rowan, 5 and 4; Edrington d. Pfeil, 4 and 3; Probasco d. Stahlman, 2 up; Adair d. Bowden, 2 up; Whitney d. Evans, 5 and 4; Bush d. Martin, 2 and 1; England d. Fooshe, 2 up; Jacoby d. Baugh, 6 and 5.

Fourth round—Rotan d. Edrington, 6 and 5; Adair d. Probasco, 1 up; Whitney d. Bush, 2 and 1; Jacoby d. England, 1 up, 20 holes.

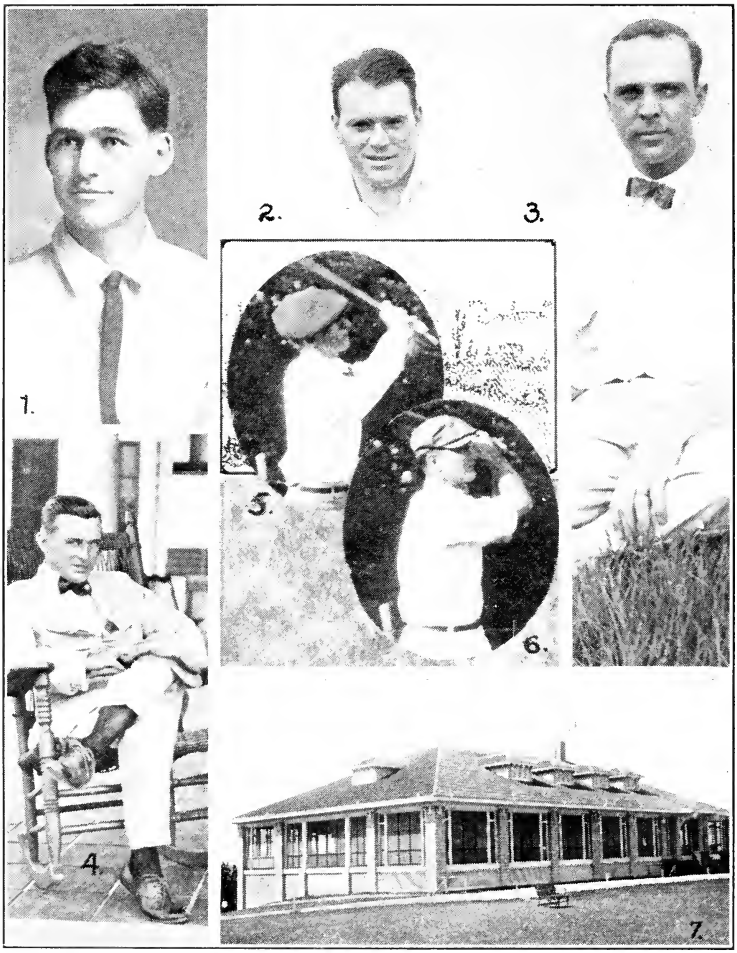
Semi-final round—Adair d. Rotan, 4 and 3; Whitney d. Jacoby, 4 and 3.

Final round—Nelson M. Whitney, New Orleans, d. Perry Adair, Atlanta, 14 and 13.

WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Knoxville Country Club.

Mrs. Frank G. Jones of Memphis won the women's Southern championship at Knoxville, defeating Mrs. Thomas Paine of Atlanta by 6 and 5. Mrs. Jones, who was runner-up last year, led the field in the qualifying round with the card of 93. Mrs. E. W. Daley, who won the championship last year, has gone East to live and did not defend her title. Mrs. Jones defeated Miss Louise Kaiser, St. Louis, in the semi-finals, Mrs. Paine putting out Mrs. K. G. Duffield of Memphis. A new women's record for the Cherokee Country Club was established when both Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Duffield made the round in 87 each.



1, Burley C. Johnson, Champion, 1914, Fort Smith (Ark.) Country Club; 2, F. W. Davis, Buffalo (N. Y.) Country Club; 3, Herve H. Hutchison, Detroit; 4, Raymond C. Thorne, Kansas City, Missouri State Champion, 1913; 5, Al Baumgartner, Hyde Park Country Club, Cincinnati, O., City and Club Champion, 1914; 6, Dr. Fred Lush, Hyde Park Country Club, Cincinnati, O.; 7, Minnehaha Country Club, Sioux Falls, S. Dak.

State Championships

OHIO STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held on the course of the Mayfield Country Club, Cleveland, Ohio, September 19.

The eleventh annual meet of the Ohio association attracted a record entry of 138, the only absentee of note being Harold Weber of Toledo. Two days were occupied in qualifying and the result was a triple tie for the medal score between J. K. Bole, C. H. Stanley and R. H. Crowell at 157. Bole found the going rather easy, winning every match by a large margin, finally meeting R. Hogen of Willowick in the last match of the championship and decisively defeating him by 10 and 9.

In the other events the winners were: Mayfield Flight—C. C. Bolton, Mayfield, defeated Judge Balch of Cincinnati 6 and 5.

Ohio Flight—J. F. Clarke, Canton, defeated B. P. Lechner, Willowick, 2 and 1.

Buckeye Flight—W. H. Zay, Dayton, defeated J. H. Kline, Mayfield, 5 and 4.

The team championship was won by the Mayfield Club, their team composed of Messrs. Bole, Bingham, Crowell and Bolton amassing a total of 651 strokes, as against 675 for the Country Club team, and 772 for the Cincinnati Golf Club team.

In the open event for professionals, which was run off ahead of the amateur event, H. C. Lagerblade, the homebred from Youngstown, gave his Scotch and English brethren all a scare by romping in an easy winner by 4 shots. Lagerblade never had played the Mayfield course until he came for the tournament and his performance was a remarkably good one. Arthur Smith of Columbus, former western open champion, was third with 153, and W. H. Way of Mayfield fourth with 155. Mr. Joseph Bole led the amateurs with 78, 82—160, only two others handing in cards. Other leading scores were:

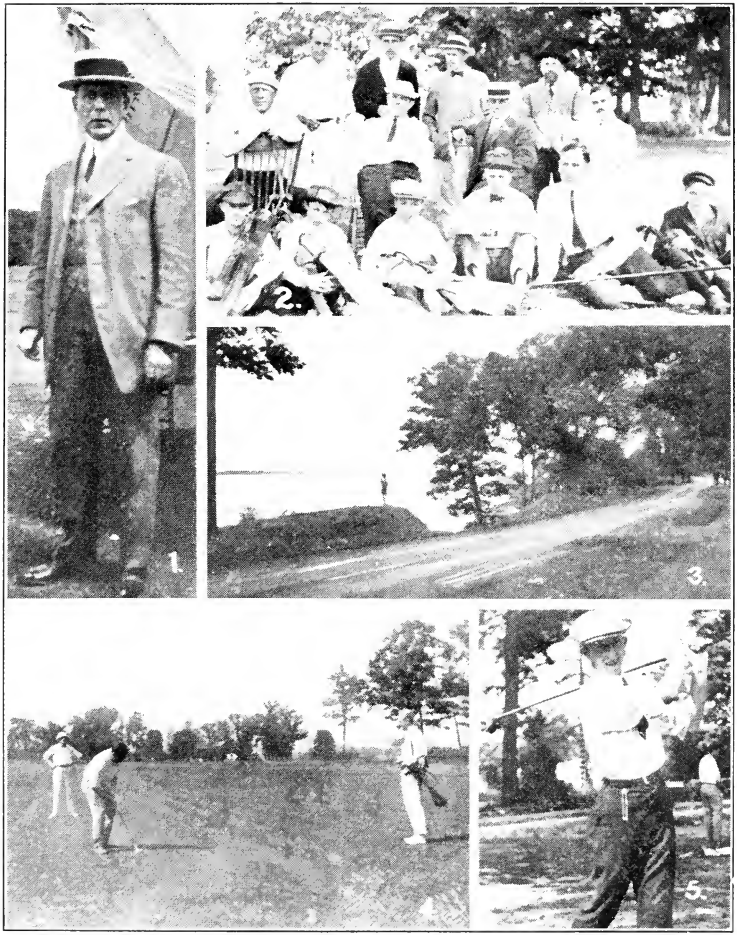
A. Auchterlonie, Springfield, 162; J. H. Taylor, Canton, 164; J. Nicholl, Dayton, 166; D. Mentiply, Cincinnati, 166; D. K. White, Keswick, 167; Joe Mitchell, Country, 167; J. Alves, Oakwood, 169; Mr. C. H. Stanley, Country, 170; Mr. G. L. Fordyce, Youngstown, 171.

MISSOURI CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the St. Joseph Country Club, St. Joseph, Mo.

Alden B. Swift of St. Joseph (formerly of Onwentsia) is the state champion this year, having defeated Jesse L. Carleton of Glen Echo in the finals by 6 and 4. Rufus L. McDonald, St. Joseph, led the field in the qualifying round with an 82. R. C. Thorne, who won the title last year, did not compete. Summary:

Qualifying scores—R. L. McDonald, St. Joseph, 82; C. R. Jones, Kansas City, 84; J. L. Carleton, Glen Echo, 85; H. E. Brann, Kansas City, 86; Dr. G. L. Miller, Kansas City, 86; Alden B. Swift, St. Joseph, 87; M. B. Nelson, Kansas City, 88; R. W. Hodge, Kansas City, 88; A. H. Bansbach, St. Joseph, 89; E. C. Lorton, Excelsior Springs, 90; W. L. Karnes, Kansas City, 90; J. G. Schneider, St. Joseph, 90; Andrew McCreery, St. Louis, 91; O. B. Knight, St. Joseph, 91; C. R. Guibor, Kansas City, 92; James L. Roberts, Kansas City, 92; W. C. Bartlett, St. Joseph, 92; A. W. Warren, St. Joseph, 93; J. O. Barkley, St. Joseph, 93; C. R. Cruikshank, Hannibal, 93; L. F. Vories, St. Joseph, 93; T. R. Wall, St. Joseph, 93; A. L. Craven, Excelsior, 94; L. V. Graham, Kansas City, 94; Dr. T. E. Moore, Trenton, 94; Louis Egan, Kansas City, 94; W. F. Maxwell, St. Joseph, 97; George Vineyard, St. Joseph, 97; W. M. Guthrie, St. Joseph, 98; B. J. McGuire, Trenton, 98; Bonner Miller, St. Louis, 98; James Bingham, St. Joseph, 98. First round—Hodge d. Moore, 7 and 6; Guibor d. Bingham, 6 and 5; Maxwell d. Schneider by default; Bansbach d. Graham by default; Brann d. Barkley by default; Roberts d.



1, A. B. Caldwell, Detroit Country Club, a well known figure in golfing circles of Michigan; 2, A group of Grosse Ile Country Club members (left to right)—H. Baker, W. Murray of Van Court, Pa.; Judge Bland, L. Nickson, T. S. O'Brian, Richardson, Wm. Wright, E. Prince; 3, Entrance to Grosse Ile Country Club; 4, First green of Essex County Golf and Country Club, Essex, Ont.; 5, J. H. Robinson, Essex County Golf and Country Club.

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Guthrie, 8 and 7; McDonald d. Bartlett, 3 and 1; Carleton d. Cruikshank, 3 and 2; Jones d. Warren, 4 and 2; Egan d. Lorton, 4 and 3; G. L. Miller d. Vories, 7 and 6; McCreery d. McGuire, 6 and 5; Karnes d. Vineyard, 1 up; Swift d. Wall, 2 and 1; Craven d. Nelson, 1 up, 20 holes; Knight d. Bonner Miller, 1 up, 20 holes. Second round—McDonald d. Hodge, 5 and 4; Carleton d. Maxwell by default; Roberts d. Bansbach, 3 and 1; Swift d. Knight, 5 and 4; G. L. Miller d. McCreery, 1 up, 19 holes; Craven d. Guibor, 5 and 4; Braun d. Karnes, 5 and 4; Jones d. Egan, 5 and 4. Third round—Swift d. Jones, 5 and 3; Miller d. McDonald, 2 up; Carleton d. Craven, 1 up, 19 holes; Roberts d. Braun, 1 up. Semi-final round—Carleton d. Miller, 1 up, 20 holes; Swift d. Roberts, 5 and 3.

Final round—Alden B. Swift, St. Joseph, d. Jesse L. Carleton, Glen Echo, 6 and 4.

Consolation round—A. W. Warren, St. Joseph, d. C. A. Cruikshank, Hannibal, 8 and 6.

IOWA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Ottumwa Country Club, Ottumwa, Iowa.

Qualifying scores—Arthur Bartlett, Ottumwa, 161; Don Newburn, Des Moines, 163; W. K. Groves, Des Moines, 164; Ralph Rider, Des Moines, 165; J. B. Terry, Cedar Rapids, 165; Decker French, Davenport, 165; J. Hubbell, Des Moines, 165; J. Matless, Keokuk, 166; D. B. Baker, Ottumwa, 166; Alfred Peaslee, Dubuque, 167; J. L. Bever, Jr., Cedar Rapids, 167; Purdue Sheldon, Keokuk, 168; R. C. Smith, Ottumwa, 170; Frank Racine, Ottumwa, 170; N. W. Cowles, Ottumwa, 171; F. P. Carr, Des Moines, 171; B. K. Miller, Waterloo, 171; E. J. Carey, Cedar Rapids, 171; H. D. Bellamy, Des Moines, 171; W. W. Beckwith, Burlington, 172; A. W. Carpenter, Burlington, 173; Hugo Schmidt, Davenport, 173; Kenneth Lindsay, Cedar Rapids, 174; T. B. Cookerly, Jr., Des Moines, 174; A. E. Durin, Cedar Rapids, 174; A. C. Nelson, Des Moines, 175; E. C. Mueller, Davenport, 176; R. W. Bonson, Dubuque, 176; C. G. Wallett, Oskaloosa, 176; Newman Dorr, Des Moines, 177; E. R. McCall, Winfield, 177; J. T. Powers, Cedar Rapids, 177. First round—Bartlett d. Miller, 4 and 3; Matless d. Durin, 2 and 1; Hubble d. Schmidt, 6 and 5; Smith d. Benson, 2 and 1; Rider d. Cookerly, 7 and 6; N. Dorr d. Carey, 2 and 1; Peaslee d. Mueller, 3 and 2; Cowles d. Groves, 4 and 3; Bellamy d. Newburn, 1 up; Bever d. Nelson, 5 and 3; Terry d. Carpenter, 2 and 1; Powers d. Racine, 6 and 5; Baker d. Lindsay, 1 up; Carr d. McCall, 3 and 1; Sheldon d. Wallett, 1 up; French d. Beckwith, 4 and 2. Second round—Bartlett d. Matless, 1 up, 19 holes; Smith d. Hubbell, 2 and 1; Rider d. N. Dorr, 1 up, 22 holes; Peaslee d. Cowles, 2 and 1; Bever d. Bellamy 2 and 1; Terry d. Powers, 3 and 2; Carr d. Baker, 2 and 1; Sheldon d. French, 3 and 2. Third round—Bartlett d. Smith, 4 and 3; Rider d. Peaslee, 11 and 9; Bever d. Terry; Sheldon d. Carr. Semi-final round—Bartlett d. Rider, 1 up; Sheldon d. Bever, 5 and 4.

Final round—Arthur Bartlett, Ottumwa, d. Purdue Sheldon, Keokuk, 10 and 8.

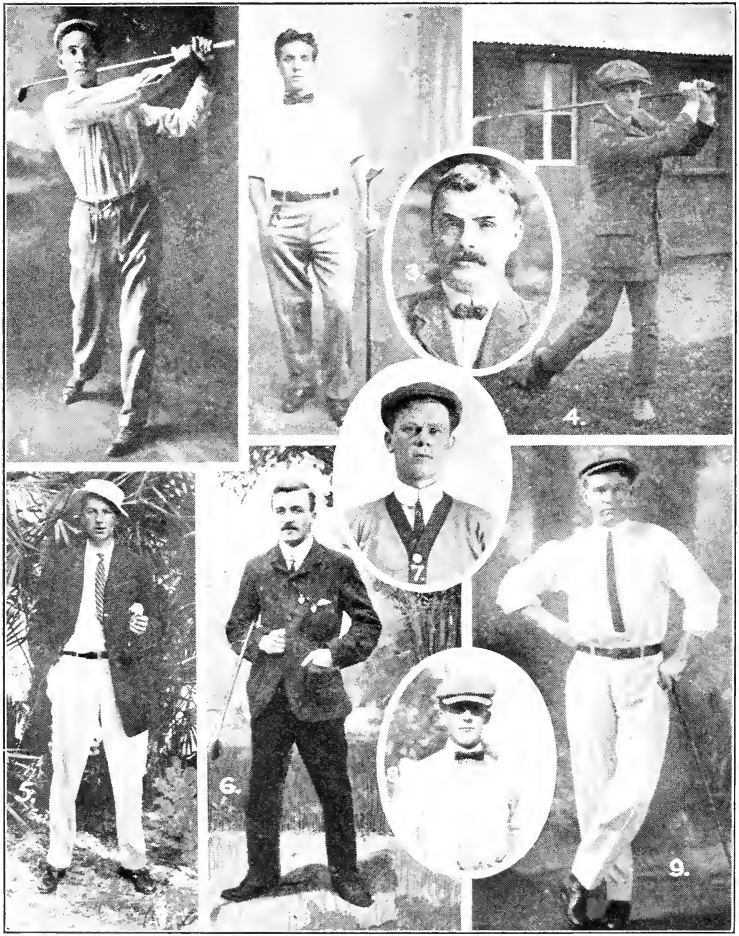
Consolation round—W. K. Groves, Des Moines, d. Don Newburn, Des Moines, 3 and 2. Directors' cup—Arnold Peaslee, Dubuque, d. Karl Kubec, Des Moines, 9 and 7. Team cup—Ottumwa C. C., 668.

NEBRASKA CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held on the course of the Happy Hollow Country Club, Omaha, Neb.

Sam W. Reynolds proved the winner in the state tournament, his only tight match being with J. W. Hughes, whom he defeated 1 up. The meet was a most successful one from every standpoint. Summary:

Qualifying scores—Ralph Peters, Omaha, 160; J. W. Hughes, Omaha, 165; Sam Reynolds, Omaha, 166; Harold Johnson, Happy Hollow, 169; W. J. Foye, Omaha, 172; Kenneth Reed, Happy Hollow, 173; Frank Hale, Omaha, 174; Guy Beckett, Omaha, 175; C. H. Rogers, Miller Park, 175; J. S. Reed, Happy Hollow, 175; W. N. Chambers, Omaha, 176; William Folsom, Lincoln, 177; Fred P. Hamilton, Omaha, 177; Phil Downs, Omaha, 178; Clarence Peters, Omaha, 179; Albert Cahn, Omaha, 180; E. H. Sprague, Omaha, 180; W. B. Roberts, Omaha, 180; June Abbott, Omaha, 181; H. P. Gates, Happy Hollow, 182; W. E. Palmatier, Omaha, 182; C. H. Marley, Happy Hollow, 182; E. M. Morsman, Omaha, 182; Karl Bock, Omaha, 183; J. B. Rahm, Omaha, 183; Paul Scott, Council Bluffs, 185; Francis Gaines, Omaha, 185; E. T. Manning, Happy Hollow, 185; E. M. Sherwood, Happy Hollow, 186; Ernest Sweet, Omaha, 187; Ben Griffith, Lincoln, 187; Maynard Swartz, Omaha, 187. First round—Hale d. Rahm, 1 up, 20 holes; Folsom d. Scott, 1 up; Downs d. Sherwood, 1 up; Chambers d. J. S. Reed, 4 and 3; Clarence Peters d. Swartz, 5 and 4;



1, Jake Schnapp, Toledo (Ohio) Country Club; 2, Ben Knight, Burlington Country Club; 3, Wm. Still, Kenosha (Wis.) Country Club; 4, Bob Jolly; 5, W. D. Leith, Tacoma (Wash.) Country Club; 6, George Simpson, Oak Park, Ill.; 7, Alexander Jolly, Kewanee, Ill.; 8, J. C. Hackbarth, Chicago; 9, Dow L. George, Interlachen Country Club, Minneapolis, Minn.

Kenneth Reed d. Gates, 5 and 4; Johnson d. Abbott, 6 and 4; Ralph Peters d. Cahn, 2 and 1; F. H. Gaines d. Palmatier, 1 up, 19 holes; Beckett d. Francis Gaines, 1 up, 19 holes; Hughes d. Roberts, 6 and 4; Reynolds d. Marley, 4 up; Hamilton d. Manning, 2 up; Foye d. Bock, 4 up; Rogers d. Morsman, 3 and 1; Griffith d. Sprague, 5 and 4. Second round—Ralph Peters d. Rogers, 4 and 3; Kenneth Reed d. Hamilton, 6 and 5; Foye d. Beckett, 6 and 5; Johnson d. C. H. Peters, 1 up, 19 holes; Reynolds d. Chambers, 6 and 5; Downs d. F. H. Gaines, 1 up; Hale d. Folsom, 1 up, 20 holes; Hughes d. Griffith, 4 and 3. Third round—Reynolds d. Downs, 8 and 7; Johnson d. Foye, 5 and 4; Hughes d. Hale, 1 up, 20 holes; Kenneth Reed d. Ralph Peters, 4 and 2. Semi-final round—Reynolds d. Hughes, 1 up; Johnson d. Reed, 3 and 2.

Final round—Sam W. Reynolds d. Harold Johnson, 4 and 2.

Consolation round—Paul Scott d. Albert Cahn, Sr.

INDIANA CHAMPIONSHIP.

Robert Resener, Indianapolis, successfully defended his title of Indiana champion at the Marion Golf Club, defeating in the final Edwin Lennox, Indianapolis, by 4 and 2. Lennox held Resener practically even on 30 holes, the match being all even at that stage. Resener then put up a burst of speed and won four straight holes.

Burr Swezey, Marion, won the qualification prize with the score of 77, Lennox getting 80 and Resener 81. Summary:

Qualifying scores—Burr Swezey, Marion, 77; Robert Shideler, Marion, 78; Edwin Lennox, Indianapolis, 80; Robert Resener, Indianapolis, 81; W. A. Taylor, La Porte, 81; Bennett Heath, Muncie, 82; Jack Trimble, Indianapolis, 82; David Baxter, Indianapolis, 82; J. F. McNaughton, Muncie, 83; Norman Metcalf, Indianapolis, 83; Glen Diddel, Indianapolis, 83; W. D. Bancker, Indianapolis, 83; H. H. Seilken, Indianapolis, 83; E. J. Bennett, Kokomo, 84; Ralph Gartland, Marion, 84; Frank Ayres, Indianapolis, 84; George Wright, Marion, 85; A. L. Higbie, Marion, 85; Abe Parry, Indianapolis, 85; L. A. Lilliard, Marion, 85; E. O. Spangler, Richmond, 86; Clarence Baldwin, Muncie, 86; H. C. Colburn, Indianapolis, 86; C. McIlwaine, Indianapolis, 86; Harry James, Muncie, 86; Dr. Marklin, Marion, 87; A. Sampson, Muncie, 87; James Hawkins, Marion, 87; J. W. Stewart, Logansport, 87; L. A. Sanford, 87; C. O. Britton, Indianapolis, 87; G. Perry, Indianapolis, 87. First round—Ayres d. Swezey, 2 and 1; Heath d. McIlwaine, 5 and 4; Bancker d. Hawkins, 1 up; Lilliard d. Taylor, 1 up, 19 holes; Baldwin d. Whitney, 7 and 5; Bennett d. Sanford, 5 and 4; Lennox d. Higbee, 5 and 4; Shideler d. Wright, 5 and 4; McNaughton d. James, 1 up, 19 holes; Seilken d. Stewart, 3 and 2; Baxter d. Spangler, 5 and 3; Colburn d. Trimble, 6 and 5; Diddel d. Sampson, 1 up; Gartland d. Britton, 5 and 4; Resener d. Parry, 1 up, 19 holes; Metcalf d. Perry, 3 and 2. Second round—Heath d. Ayres, 1 up; Bancker d. Lilliard, 2 and 1; Baldwin d. Metcalf, 1 up, 20 holes; Lennox d. Bennett, 3 and 1; Shideler d. McNaughton, 4 and 3; Seilken d. Baxter, 1 up; Colburn d. Diddel, 2 and 1; Resener d. Gartland, 2 and 1. Third round—Heath d. Bancker, 1 up, 37 holes; Lennox d. Baldwin, 7 and 5; Shideler d. Seilken, 9 and 8; Resener d. Colburn, 8 and 7. Semi-final round—Lennox d. Heath, 3 and 1; Resener d. Shideler, 7 and 6.

Final round—Resener d. Lennox, 4 and 2.

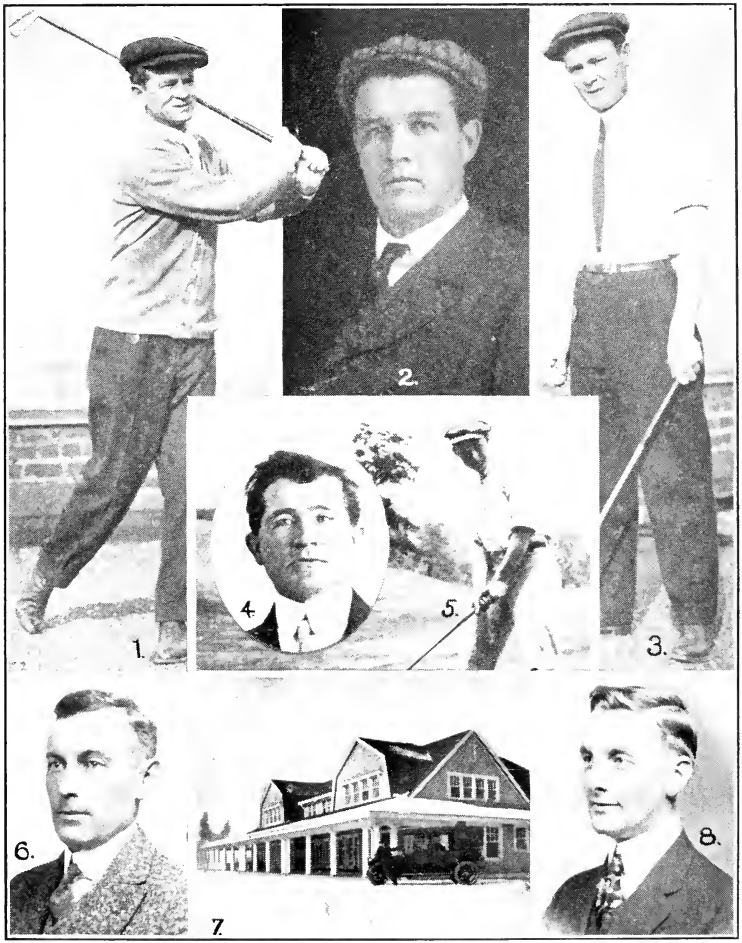
MINNESOTA CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Northland Country Club, Duluth, Minn.

Minnesota has a new state golf champion for the first time in seven years and R. S. Patrick of the Northland Country Club, Duluth, realized his golfing ambition and that of his club when he won the honor from Harry Legg of Minikahda, seven times the holder, in the final round of the fourteenth annual state tournament.

Patrick won the match because he played the better golf, in fact unbeatable golf, for he played the thirty-two holes of the match, which he won on the fourteenth green in the second round, 5 and 4, in one over fours for the entire day's play. The morning round of eighteen holes he played in 73, with a 7 and a 6, and the afternoon he played even fours. Such playing is as near perfect as is possible, two shots to a green and two putts—and it cannot be beaten.

Legg did not play the game of which he is capable, a fact which does not in any way detract from Patrick's win, nor discount his victory, for had



1, John Brophy, Fort Mitchell Country Club, Covington, Ky.; 2, Phil Honeyman, Cincinnati Golf Club; 3, Ed Brophy, Western Hills Club, Cincinnati; 4, Tom MacCormack, Golf Professional at three Cincinnati public parks; 5, James Brophy, Assistant, Western Hills Golf Club, Cincinnati; 6, Arthur Boggs, Losantiville Country Club, Cincinnati; 7, Clubhouse of Losantiville Country Club, Cincinnati; 8, Alex Gerard, Hyde Park Country Club, Cincinnati.

he been playing his best it is doubtful if he would have beaten the Northland golfer, though the match would have been closer.

This is the first time the state championship has fallen to a Duluth man. The summary follows:

Qualifying scores—R. S. Patrick, Northland, 142; Harry Legg, Minikahda, 150; D. Lightner, Town and Country, 154; G. F. Piper, Jr., Minikahda, 155; J. Thompson, Town and Country, 155; I. D. Fish, Minikahda, 158; Dudly Mudge, Town and Country, 159; W. W. Croze, Northland, 160; R. Cullum, Northland, 163; H. S. Johnson, Town and Country, 164; H. Ferguson, Meadowbrook, 166; C. T. Jaffray, 166; L. W. Carpenter, Minikahda, 167; Page Morris, Northland, 167; M. B. Cullum, Northland, 167; Bob Bailey, Northland, 168; F. E. Weyerhauser, Town and Country, 169; H. H. Myers, Northland, 169; Douglas Walker, Northland, 169; E. N. Whyte, Northland, 170; Cayour Hartley, Northland, 170; H. I. McMillan, Minikahda, 170; L. E. House, Northland, 171; J. D. Miller, Meadowbrook, 172; John Markel, Northland, 173; H. R. Johnston, Lafayette, 173; M. J. O'Brien, Northland, 174; J. Q. A. Crosby, Northland, 174; M. C. Lightner, Town and Country, 175; F. P. Towne, Northland, 176; J. L. Millen, Northland, 176; R. W. Webb, Minikahda, 177. First round—Richard Cullum d. Markell, 4 and 2; Carpenter d. Walker, 1 up; Thompson d. Crosby, 5 and 4; C. T. Jaffray d. M. C. Lightner, 2 and 1; Mudge d. Whyte, 5 and 4; Morris d. F. B. Jaffray, 1 up, 21 holes; Drake Lightner d. Towne, by default; Piper d. Miller, 5 and 4; Raley d. Webb, 6 and 5; Ferguson d. Hartley, 1 up, 19 holes; Croze d. Mullen, 3 and 2; McMillan d. Fish, 3 and 2; M. B. Cullum d. O'Brien, 5 and 6; Johnson d. Johnston, 3 and 2; Legg d. Myers, 6 and 4. Second round—Patrick d. Richard Cullum, 1 up, 19 holes; Carpenter d. Thompson, 4 and 3; Mudge d. C. T. Jaffray, 3 and 1; Lightner d. Morris, 7 and 6; Piper d. Raley, 7 and 5; M. B. Cullum d. McMillan, 2 and 1; Legg d. H. R. Johnson, 4 and 3; Ferguson d. Croze, 2 up. Third round—Patrick d. Carpenter, 3 and 1; Mudge d. Lightner, 1 up, 21 holes; Ferguson d. Piper, 1 up, 19 holes; Legg d. M. B. Cullum, 6 and 4. Semi-final round—Patrick d. Mudge, 2 and 1; Legg d. Ferguson, 4 and 2.

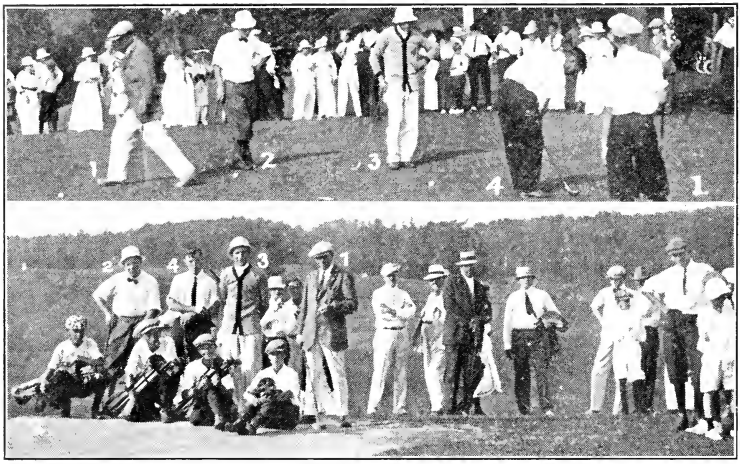
Final round—R. S. Patrick, Northland, d. Harry G. Legg, Minikahda, 5 and 4.

WISCONSIN STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

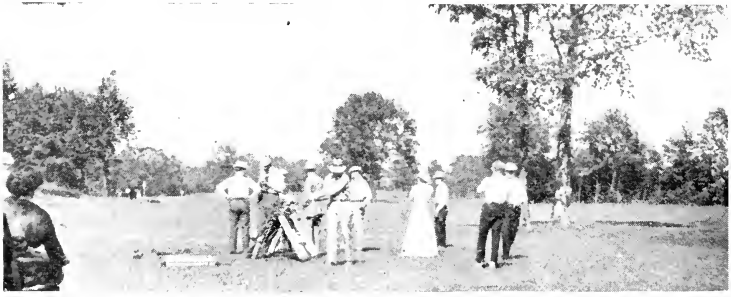
Held at the Kenosha Country Club, Kenosha, Wis.

E. P. Allis, 3rd, of Milwaukee won the Wisconsin championship on August 15 by defeating R. P. Cavanagh of Kenosha, state golf champion, 6 and 5. This gives Allis the title for the third time and puts him on even terms with Cavanagh, who is the only other golfer to capture this event three times. The summary follows:

Qualifying scores—E. P. Allis, 3rd, Milwaukee, 149; Gordon Yule, Kenosha, 151; Fred Zwaska, Blue Mound, 156; A. R. Hinckley, Blue Mound, 156; J. R. Anderson, Kenosha, 157; Price M. Davis, Blue Mound, 159; R. G. Kellogg, Milwaukee, 160; R. P. Cavanagh, Kenosha, 162; R. D. Gordon, La Crosse, 162; Al. Schaller, Janesville, 163; Walter Lindsay, Milwaukee, 164; C. D. Barnes, Kenosha, 164; J. J. Hosch, Blue Mound, 165; T. C. McLaughlin, Blue Mound, 165; M. A. Carroll, Oshkosh, 165; A. H. Gruenewald, Oshkosh, 166; L. L. Hebbard, Racine, 166; Louis Allis, Milwaukee, 167; Gilbert Lance, Kenosha, 167; P. M. Gelatt, La Crosse, 167; J. I. Bush, Milwaukee, 169; C. C. Allen, Kenosha, 169; S. C. Anderson, Kenosha, 170; C. R. Stull, Blue Mound, 170; F. W. Jacobs, Madison, 170; Fred Schaller, Janesville, 170; T. E. Barnum, Blue Mound, 171; Roy Miller, Sheboygan, 171; George Van Auken, La Crosse, 172; Gordon Guilbert, Racine, 172; J. H. Dwight, Racine, 172; M. H. Tichenor, Oconomowoc, 172; O. C. Fuller, Milwaukee, 173; Hamilton Vose, Milwaukee, 173; John B. Clark, Milwaukee, 173; A. A. Jonas, Blue Mound, 174; G. A. Yule, Kenosha, 174; J. H. Hixon, La Crosse, 174; Dr. J. R. Young, Madison, 175; J. L. Wilcox, Beloit, 175; J. H. Tweedy, Milwaukee, 175; E. B. H. Tower, Jr., Milwaukee, 175; P. E. Dutcher, Milwaukee, 176; Julius De Roche, Racine, 176; F. H. Hankerson, La Crosse, 176; H. S. Hatfield, Blue Mound, 176; V. Coffin, Madison, 177; Guy F. Gregg, Blue Mound, 178; H. D. Plimpton, Blue Mound, 178; A. H. Inbusch, Milwaukee, 179; G. J. Carroll, Blue Mound, 180; R. B. Ellis, Blue Mound, 180; H. R. Whitcomb, Milwaukee, 181; G. W. Kent, Sheboygan, 181; H. Morgan, Beloit, 181; Phil Wechselberg, Blue Mound, 181; David Foster, Beloit, 181; S. Griffith, Beloit, 182; R. M. Thayer, Blue Mound, 182; C. S. Hackett, Kenosha, 182; W. Helmholz, Milwaukee, 184; A. A. Guilbert, Racine, 184; J. C. Hazen, Beloit, 185; R. B. Way, Beloit, 185; W. B. Bullock, Blue Mound, 185; Walter Cavanagh, Kenosha, 185; F. A. Thayer, Beloit, 185; H. F. Roenitz, Sheboygan, 185; F. H. Graham, Eau Claire, 185; A. M. Tressler, Madison, 186; Dr.



1, Tom Vardon; 2, Jim Simpson; 3, Dave Wilson; 4, Alex Ritchie.
INVITATION MATCH AT CHENOQUA (WIS.) COUNTRY CLUB, AUG. 30, 1914.



FAIR GREEN, GRAND BEACH, MICH.

J. J. Wright, Blue Mound, 186; M. W. Babb, Milwaukee, 187; L. W. Nieman, Milwaukee, 188; Alfred James, La Crosse, 188; R. Y. Flanders, Milwaukee, 188; S. S. Simmons, Kenosha, 188; F. S. Baines, Janesville, 189. First round—E. P. Allis d. Gruenewald, 8 and 7; Gordon d. S. C. Anderson, 1 up; R. R. Anderson d. Bush, 2 and 1; Hosch d. Kopmeier, 6 and 5; F. A. Schaller d. Kellogg, in 19 holes; Gordon Guilbert d. Carroll, 2 and 1; Lindsay d. Barnum, 5 and 3; Zwaska d. Lance, 5 and 4; Gordon Yule d. Louis Allis, in 21 holes; Al. Schaller d. Jacobs, 1 up; Davis d. Allen, 1 up; Van Auken d. McLaughlin, 2 and 1; R. P. Cavanagh d. Stull, 7 and 5; Dwight d. Hebberd, 4 and 3; Barnes d. Miller, 4 and 2; Hinckley d. Gelatt, 4 and 3. Second round—Allis d. Gordon, 4 and 4; Anderson d. Hosch, 2 up; Guilbert d. Schaller, 2 and 1; Zwaska d. Lindsay, 1 up; Schaller d. Gordon Yule, in 20 holes; Davis d. Van Auken, 4 and 3; Cavanagh d. Dwight, 3 and 2; Barnes d. Hinckley, 3 and 2. Third round—Allis d. Anderson, 3 and 2; Zwaska d. Guilbert, 2 up; Davis d. Schaller, 4 and 3; Cavanagh d. Barnes, 6 and 5. Semi-final round—Allis d. Zwaska, 8 and 6; Cavanagh d. Davis, 1 up. Final round—E. P. Allis, 3rd, Milwaukee, d. R. P. Cavanagh, Kenosha, 6 and 5.

MICHIGAN STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Detroit Country Club, July 23, 24, 25, 1914.

There were several favorites picked to win the big state tourney and naturally they were the fellows that had won it before or ones that had figured close to it, but never once did they concede Edwin H. Brown of the Detroit Country Club a chance. Mr. Brown fooled them all and proved his right to the honor of 1914 Michigan champ. Whether he is a better golfer, day in and day out, than several of the others is another question.

Difficulties of the Country Club course sent a lot of the scores sky high, as was shown at the outset, when only two got under 80 in the qualifying round, Louis Bredin leading the field with 77 and Jimmy Standish coming next with 79. Thayer McMillan was third at 81.

The semi-final matches were both keenly contested and brought out some very pretty golf, Brown winning from Bredin 2 and 1, Carhartt from H. B. Lee, 1 up, 19 holes. Carhartt won from Vincent in his match just before this one, 1 up, 19 holes, and the strain was proving too much. Brown won the finals from Carhartt, 5 and 4, 36 holes.

Last year's champion, Phil Stanton, was not on hand to defend his title. Summary:

Qualifying scores—L. L. Bredin, Detroit, 77; J. D. Standish, Jr., Detroit, 79; J. T. McMillan, Detroit, 81; B. Hopper, Kalamazoo, 83; V. D. Cliff, Detroit, 83; H. B. Lee, Detroit, 83; E. H. Brown, Detroit, 83; J. K. Bangs, Jr., Detroit, 83; Chester Fordney, Saginaw, 83; Hugh Vaughn, Bloomfield, 84; J. T. Wylie, Saginaw, 84; Wylie Carhartt, Detroit, 85; Henry Grinnell, Kent, 85; Worden Hunter, Detroit, 85; Raymond Russel, Detroit, 85; A. H. Vincent, Saginaw, 86.

First round—Bredin d. Fordney, 2 and 1; Grinnell d. Cliff, 1 up, 24 holes; McMillan d. Wylie, 1 up; Brown d. Russel, 2 and 1; Standish d. Vaughn, 4 and 2; Lee d. Hunter, 3 and 2; Carhartt d. Hopper, 4 and 2; Vincent d. Bangs, 3 and 1.

Second round—Bredin d. Grinnell, 1 up; Brown d. McMillan, 1 up; Lee d. Standish, 5 and 3; Carhartt d. Vincent, 1 up, 19 holes.

Semi-final round—Brown d. Bredin, 2 and 1; Carhartt d. Lee, 1 up, 19 holes.

Final round—Edwin H. Brown, Detroit, d. Wylie Carhartt, Detroit, 5 and 4.

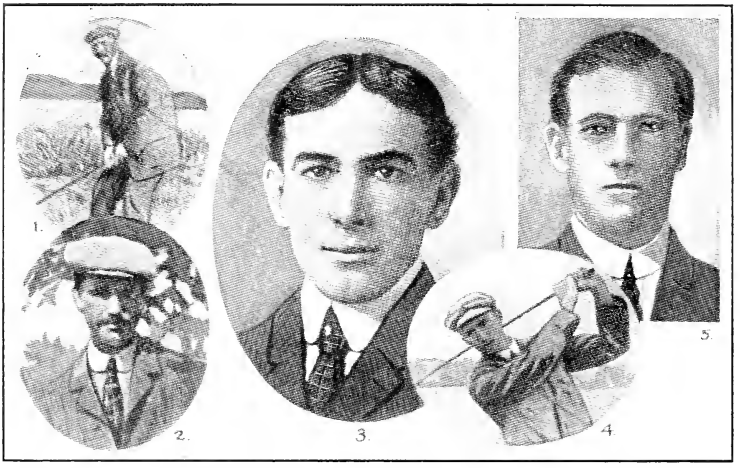
Second flight—D. F. Altland, Detroit, d. F. B. Palmer, Detroit, 3 and 1.

Third flight—F. R. Van Dusen, Detroit, d. T. S. O'Brien, Bloomfield, 3 and 2.

WOMEN'S MICHIGAN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

By H. H. H.

The Detroit Country Club was the scene of Michigan's first annual Women's Golf Championship, September 16, 17, 18, 19, 1914, which was won by Mrs. John W. Case of the Detroit Golf Club. Her clubmate, Mrs. J. M. Livsey, was the runner-up, and only after an extra hole had been played and the last putt downed did they know the winner. It is very unusual for the finalists in a tournament of this caliber to be from the same club. This goes to show, however, that the Detroit Golf Club is giving attention to development of the lady players.



1, Wm. Marshall, Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill.; 2, S. Garduer, Old Elm Club, Fort Sheridan, Ill.: 3, George O'Neil, Beverly Country Club, Chicago; 4, Albert Kam, Winnepeg; 5, Bob Peebles.

1, George Turpie, New Orleans, La.; 2, Tom Vardon, Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill.; 3, Al Naylor, Idlewild Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill.; 4, Arthur Clarkson, Highland Golf Club, Indianapolis, Ind.

Most of the golf clubs of the state were represented, although the last out-of-town player to survive was Mrs. Rollin Owens of Grand Rapids Highlands Country Club, who was eliminated in the semi-finals of the championship flight by Mrs. Livsey, while at the same time the Detroit Country Club's hope, Miss Dorothy Hutchinson, was defeated by Mrs. Case.

It was a matter of coming from behind and squaring the match and then superbly keeping on her game that Mrs. Case was enabled to finish with flying colors.

President A. B. Caldwell of the State Golf Association, who handled the tournament, was exceedingly gratified and paid the competitors a high compliment for their promptness in appearing for their matches and for their good sportsmanship.

That evening, after the tournament, there was a supper, followed by the organization of the Michigan Women's Golf Association, which will take charge of annual tournaments in future seasons. The officers elected are as follows:

President, Mrs. Hamilton Dey, Detroit Country Club; Vice-President, Mrs. John W. Case, Detroit Golf Club; Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Florence Bissell, Detroit Country Club. Directors—The officers; Miss Madge Miller, Kent Country Club, Grand Rapids; Mrs. Loveland, Kalamazoo Country Club.

Summaries of two last rounds:

CHAMPIONSHIP FLIGHT.

Semi-final round—Mrs. John W. Case, Detroit Golf Club, d. Miss Dorothy Hutchinson, Detroit Country Club, 3 and 2; Mrs. J. H. Livsey, Detroit Golf Club, d. Mrs. Rollin Owens, Highlands Country Club, 5 and 4.

Final round—Mrs. John W. Case, Detroit Golf Club, d. Mrs. J. H. Livsey, Detroit Golf Club, 1 up, 19 holes.

SECOND FLIGHT.

Semi-final round—Miss Florence Bissell, Country Club, d. Mrs. Loveland, Kalamazoo Country Club, 1 up, 20 holes; Miss J. Muir, Country Club, d. Miss Begg, Country Club, 2 up.

Final round—Miss Florence Bissell, Detroit Country Club, d. Miss J. Muir, Detroit Country Club, 4 and 2.

THIRD FLIGHT.

Semi-final round—Mrs. Hamilton Dey, Detroit Country Club, d. Miss Josephine Slocum, Detroit Golf Club, 2 and 1; Mrs. Cushman, Detroit Country Club, d. Miss Betty Muir, 3 and 2.

Final round—Mrs. Cushman, Detroit Country Club, d. Mrs. Hamilton Dey, Detroit Country Club, 6 and 5.

FOURTH FLIGHT.

Semi-final round—Mrs. R. H. Varney, Detroit Golf Club, d. Mrs. Atterbury, Detroit Country Club, 5 and 4; Mrs. E. R. Viger, Detroit Golf Club, d. Mrs. Sterling, Detroit Golf Club, 4 and 2.

Final round—Mrs. R. H. Varney Detroit Golf Club, d. Mrs. E. R. Viger, Detroit Golf Club, 4 and 2.

FIFTH FLIGHT.

Semi-final round—Mrs. Atwater, Detroit Golf Club, d. Mrs. W. G. Lerchen, Detroit Golf Club, 4 and 3; Mrs. C. Herbst, Detroit Golf Club, d. Miss Brown, Detroit Golf Club, 1 up.

Final round—Mrs. Atwater, Detroit Golf Club, d. Mrs. C. Herbst, Detroit Golf Club, 4 and 3.

MICHIGAN OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Wilbur Oakes, professional, of the Bloomfield Hills Country Club, won the Michigan Open Championship of 1914, played over the Detroit Golf Club course August 28, 29.

It was 72 holes medal play competition, and the four cards turned in by Oakes totaled 304, eleven strokes better than his nearest competitor.

His best rounds were 74 and 73, only two others being able to beat his average score of 76—F. Lewis, 74 and A. V. Lee, Jr., 75.

The last day of play found the course very heavy from rains during the night before and many good scores were spoiled.

Archie Simpson, Sr., of the Detroit Country Club, with 315 won second

1, Fraser Hale; 2, J. C. LeDuc; 3, E. H. Bankard; 4, Kenneth P. Edwards.

CHICAGO DISTRICT GOLF ASSOCIATION TEAM,
Winners of Olympic Cup Trophy at Grand Rapids.

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1, William Rautenbusch, Garfield Park, Chicago City Champion, 1914; 2, Walter Crowdus, Chicago, Cook County Champion, 1914; 3, R. S. Patrick, Northland Country Club, Duluth, Minn., Minnesota State Champion, 1914.

money. He showed some of the game that gave him a high reputation in Scotland.

Howard B. Lee, who finished third with 316, was the best amateur.

Two prizes were awarded and, since the winners were professionals, each received money. Oakes' winning cards follow:

Out	5	4	4	3	5	4	4	4	4—37
In	4	5	3	4	4	3	5	5	4—37—74
Out	5	4	5	5	5	4	4	4	4—38
In	4	4	3	4	4	4	7	5	5—40—78
Out	5	5	4	5	5	5	4	4	5—42
In	3	4	3	7	3	3	5	4	5—37—79
Out	6	4	3	4	5	4	4	3	4—37
In	3	5	3	5	4	3	5	4	4—36—73

The scores of those finishing follows:

Wilbur Oakes, Bloomfield Hills Country Club	74	78	79	73—304
Archie Simpson, Sr., Detroit Country Club	81	78	77	79—315
*Howard B. Lee	82	79	76	79—316
Frank Lewis, Red Run Golf Club	74	84	84	80—322
J. C. Wilson, Kent Country Club, Grand Rapids	83	77	84	81—325
G. S. McClean, Saginaw	82	80	83	81—326
W. Davidson, Flint	82	82	81	86—331
J. Reid, Meadow Heights, Jackson	84	84	84	82—334
Archie Simpson, Jr., Detroit Country Club	86	84	81	89—340
H. W. Lewis, Mt. Clemens	90	92	86	83—351

* Amateur.

KENTUCKY STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Lexington Country Club, Lexington, Ky.

Bradford Eldredge, Ft. Mitchell, and the title holder had low score, 155, in the qualifying round for the Kentucky championship. John G. Heyburn, Louisville, was next with 157. The final was between John Marshall, Jr., and Alex Heyburn, both of Louisville, and the first named won by 12 and 10. Marshall played the morning round in 75 and was 8 up at noon. Heyburn put out Eldredge in the semi-finals by 5 and 4. Heyburn, accounting for Dr. A. Paul Bagby, Louisville, 6 and 5.

In the President's cup final P. H. Preston put out J. F. Byers by 2 and 1.

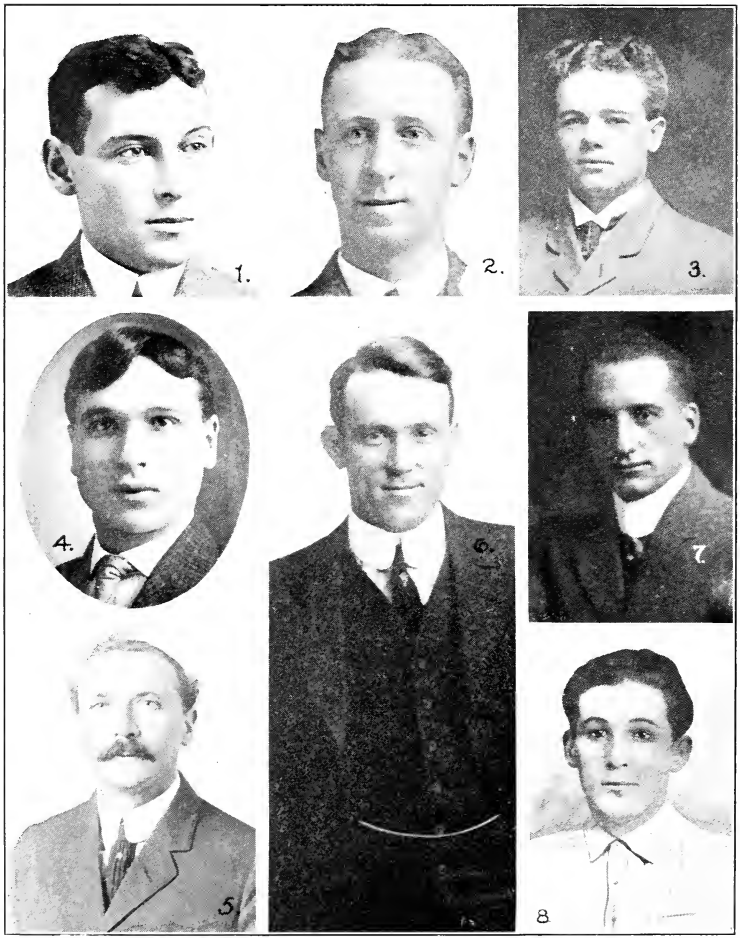
KANSAS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Salina Country Club.

Claude C. Adams of Hutchinson is once more the Kansas champion. Adams regained the title at the Salina Country Club, defeating in the final Walter Stinson, Wichita, by 2 up after having been 2 down at the end of the first hole. With a lead of 1 up at the 35th, Stinson missed an 18-inch putt for a half. He drove into the ditch at the next, losing the hole. On the home hole Adams laid his approach shot dead while Stinson was short of the green. Adams earned his right to play in the final by eliminating Lawrence Kinnear, the title holder, in the semi-finals while Stinson put out Grant Chamberlain, a former champion. Harlow Hurley, Topeka, made a new course record of 72 in the qualifying round, but was put out in the first round, 1 down, by Carl Anderson of Lawrence.

Lawrence won the team trophy with the total of 328, Topeka being second with 329. The President's cup was won by T. H. Griffith, Wichita, with the Secretary's cup going to F. Cole, Topeka.

At the annual meeting Frank W. Oliver, Wichita, was elected president; Grant Chamberlain, Hutchinson, vice-president; and Fred Robertson, Wichita, the secretary and treasurer. Wichita Country Club was awarded next year's event.



1, Arthur Boggs, Losantiville Country Club, Pleasant Ridge, O.; 2, William Nicholls; 3, Wilber Oakes, Bloomfield Hills Country Club, Detroit, Mich.; 4, David Wilson, Hartland, Wis.; 5, Willie Marshall, Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill.; 6, Jack Croke, Exmoor Country Club, Chicago; 7, Jack Way, Willowick Club, Wickliffe, Ohio; 8, W. Livie.

TEXAS CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the San Antonio Country Club.

George V. Rotan of Waco retained his title as champion of Texas in the annual tourney, defeating G. N. Aldredge of Dallas Country Club rather handily by 8 and 7. The medal for low qualifying score was won by R. S. Kampmann of San Antonio. Rotan went into the final by defeating Kampmann 3 and 2, Aldredge securing another easy win, this time from Mangham by 7 and 6, this being his second by that margin.

C. M. Hubby, Jr., Waco, took home the Texas cup, J. B. Moore, Beaumont, being the runner-up. In the San Antonio cup final J. K. Dorrance, Houston, defeated Del Walker, Austin. Louis Jacoby and C. L. Dexter, Dallas, captured the club pair cup in the best ball contest, getting a score of 72.

Scores in the qualifying round were high owing to the very bad weather that prevailed. Match rounds on some days were played with the bunkers full of water, and the depressions on the fairways and putting greens were miniature ponds that defied a long roll to the ball.

OKLAHOMA CHAMPIONSHIP.

Frank Moore of Tulsa won the Oklahoma championship at Bartlesville, defeating in the final Judge J. B. Furry of Muskogee by 7 and 6. Stockton Porter, a 14-year-old Indian boy from Muskogee, defeated Frank Breen of Bartlesville by 6 and 5 in the class B final. Young Porter did not begin playing golf until a week before the tournament. Dr. S. R. Cunningham, Oklahoma City, won the President's cup, defeating Stoffers of Tulsa by 10 and 8. The Secretary's cup went to H. C. Moore, Bartlesville, who put out Murphy, Tulsa, in the final by 8 and 7.

Moore made a new champion a certainty when he defeated A. K. West, the title holder, in the semi-finals by 3 and 1. George Frederickson, Oklahoma City, won the qualifying score prize with the card of 82, being later elected president of the state association. William Nichols, Muskogee, won first money in the professional event with the total of 152, Chester Nelson, Oklahoma City, being second with 155.

1, Dave Hunter; 2, Walter G. Fovargue, Skokie Country Club, Glencoe, Ill.; 3, Jimmy Simpson; 4, Bob Simpson; 5, Ralph Healy, West Baden Springs, Ind.; 6, Archie Simpson, Jr., Detroit Country Club; 7, W. H. Way, Euclid Club, Cleveland; 8, "Bod" Thompson.

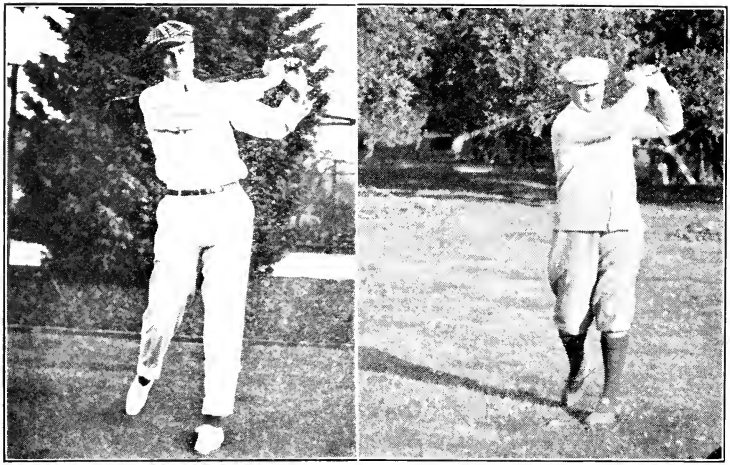
Golf in the Middle West

TOM BENDELOW.

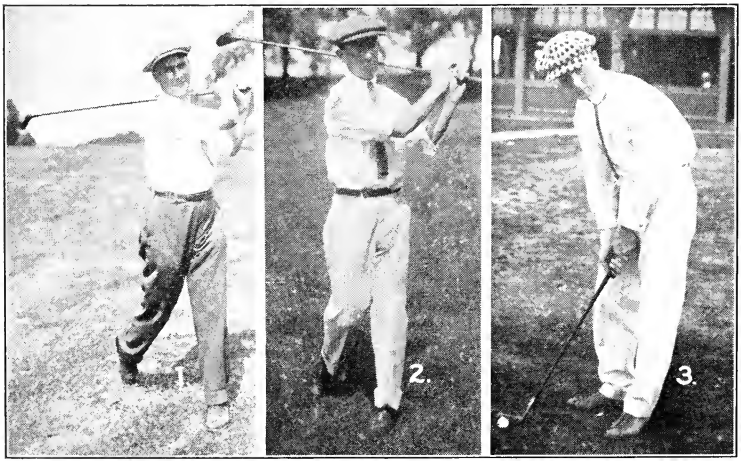
The progress of the game of golf in the western country is remarkably steady and well maintained and last year was no exception to the rule. More courses were laid out in nearly every state and activity at the various clubs was greater than ever. One thing, however, to be deplored, and which shows a falling off, was the number of open tournaments held at the various large clubs, there being a tendency to discourage such a practice as much as possible. No doubt there is a reason for this, as in many cases they were too prolonged, taking up in some cases four days and encroaching on to Saturday, one of the few days for the club member to enjoy himself. We believe the purpose would have been served infinitely better at open tournaments had the clubs commenced a day earlier and stopped on a Friday instead of a Saturday. This would have done away with the criticism which prevailed in a great measure because of the tournaments lapping over to Saturday and thus interfering with the only day a great many of the club members have for their recreation. Another thing which has fallen off in the Middle West almost entirely is inter-club matches. There was a time when this form of sport was largely indulged in and very much enjoyed. It promoted a healthy rivalry among clubs and in club districts, but now one hears nothing more of them. Those who have the interests of the sport at heart, I am sure, should endeavor to once again revive the healthy rivalry which existed in bygone days by seeing to it that this inter-club play is once more indulged in, thereby broadening the scope of association and healthful exercise.

The quality of golf played to-day shows marked advancement all around, and in the major event of the year, which was held at Grand Rapids—the Western Championship—"Chick" Evans demonstrated what a master he is in the game by compiling scores for the week which have never been equaled in the West, his average being for the week's play 71 and a fraction. He was certainly head and shoulders above everyone else, although J. K. Bole, that old war horse from Cleveland, gave him a great surprise in the first round of the championship, only being beat at the twenty-first hole. Another stiff match he had was with "Ned" Sawyer, but as Sawyer has not had very much opportunity for play this last year or so, it was plainly evident that Evans would win handily. In the finals with James Standish, one of the Michigan "cracks," he led all the way, winning handily by something like 10 up. Every department of Evans' game was delightful to see and his precision was simply remarkable.

In the Women's Western Championship, held at Hinsdale, a new champion appeared, she coming from outside the Chicago district. Mrs. Henry Hammond hails from Indianapolis and was Indianapolis champion for 1913. She is a woman of splendid physique and plays a remarkably steady game. No doubt about it that she will be heard from as time goes on, as she has



1, John F. Neville, Pacific Northwest Amateur Champion; 2, Tom Bendelow, at Santa Cruz, Cal., playing the 9th hole.



1, H. J. Harris, Inverness Club, Toledo, Ohio; 2, John Caldwell, Professional, Midland Valley Club, St. Louis, Mo.; 3, George McLean.

been improving daily under the tutelage of Lee Nelson at the Highland Park Golf Club, Indianapolis.

The Interlachen Country Club was the scene of the open championship of the West, and owing to the fact that the United States Golf Association open championship was held at Midlothian, quite a number of the entrants in the major event stopped over and took the journey out West. The course is in pretty good shape, although the presence of trees militated in a great measure from a real championship test being the outcome, as the element of luck entered very largely into a great many of the plays. The winner turned up in the person of "Jim" Barnes of the Whitemarsh Valley Country Club, who led William Kidd of the Algonquin Club of St. Louis by one stroke. It was the trees in reality which penalized Kidd. However, one can argue that the chances were alike to everyone—be that as it may, the fact still remains.

In the Olympic Competition, held previous to the Western Amateur, at the Kent Country Club, the Western Golf Association did not enter a team, but the Chicago City Golf Association entered a team comprised of Joseph Le Duc, Fraser Hale, E. H. Bankard and Kenneth Edwards, who succeeded in once again keeping that trophy in the Chicago district.

Regarding public golf, it is still booming and with a movement on foot to have a car line running out to Marquette Park, where there is an eighteen-hole golf course laid out by the South Park commissioners of some 6,400 yards, a very inaccessible golfing spot would be brought more and more into requisition and thus assist in lessening the congestion which occurs at Jackson Park, which is practically being overrun. It is estimated that over two hundred thousand tickets were given out during the past season for golfers to pursue the game. This is simply an example, and it is nothing out of the way for golfers to be there at three o'clock on summer mornings and find that there is a line waiting to start off. This state of affairs has been brought to the notice of the various park commissioners of the city and a movement is now on foot to lay out a course in Lincoln Park, the writer having already submitted plans for this purpose. On the West Side also President Fred McGrower has intimated his willingness to have a course at Warren Woods if the matter of transportation can be simplified, all of which will go to make up in the near future what we believe to be the greatest public golfing center in the country. Public golf courses and their maintenance are being taken up by park commissioners in nearly every large town now, and it will not be very long before there will not be a city in this western country which cannot boast of either a nine- or eighteen-hole public golf course.

PUBLIC GOLF AROUND CHICAGO.

AL LESPERANCE.

Golf on the public links around Chicago and in fact all over the United States is becoming more and more popular every year, the number of people who take advantage of these courses increases tremendously, and it is necessary for one who wishes to play a round before noon to get up very early in the morning.

1, Harry Collis, Homewood Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill.; 2, Willie Kidd, Algonquin Golf Club, Kirkwood, Mo.; 3, Arner C. Tollifson, Wheaton (Ill.) Golf Club; 4, John Dickson; 5, Frank Adams, French Lick, Ind.; 6, E. Garre, Ottawa (Ill.) Golf Club; 7, Bob Henderson, Butte, Mont., 8:, J. R. McNulty, La Grange (Ill.) Country Club; 9, D. Livie, Lake Geneva (Wis.) Country Club.

All of the clubs that have been formed at the public parks are in a flourishing condition and they are turning out a great number of fine players.

One of the finest players to learn his golf on the public links is W. Rautenbusch of the Garfield Park Club of Chicago, who after giving Ned Sawyer a scare in the first round at Grand Rapids in the western amateur championship, came to the city tournament in Chicago and played an average of 73 for eight rounds, winning the first prize.

His next performance was in the National open championship, where he had two rounds of 78 and 77 to qualify, and followed this with four rounds of 76, 75, 75, 75, a total of 301.

The last nine holes of the New Marquette Park course were opened for play last spring and this addition was well patronized.

As usual, the courses at Jackson Park were crowded all day long, and the number of tickets given out was greater than ever.

The Lincoln Park Board have started things moving toward a nine-hole course in this park on the north side of Chicago. This course will be over 3,000 yards in length and will be located just north of Diversey Beach. The length of the holes will be about as follows: Hole No. 1, 550 yards in length, going due north; hole No. 2, 210 yards long, a good one-shot hole going toward the lake; hole No. 3, about 385 yards in length, due south, alongside of the lake. The fourth hole will be about 300 yards long and will be of a dog-leg variety. Hole No. 5 is a good length, about 400 yards. Holes 6 and 7 are fine, one-shot holes 165 yards and 190 yards long. The eighth hole is a good two-shot hole, 430 yards in length. The ninth hole will run alongside of the eighth in the opposite direction, about 365 yards long.

The above course will be ready for play about the spring of 1916, if things progress as favorably as they have for the past month.

AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP OF COOK COUNTY.

Previous Winners—1912, Ralph S. Scott, Jackson Park; 1913, C. E. Prouty, Illinois Golf Club.

Walt Crowdus, the young Flossmoor star, won the Amateur Championship of Cook County, played over the Garfield Park course September 9-11. In addition to capturing the title and the championship cup, Crowdus also got a leg on the massive trophy presented for a three-time winner by A. G. Spalding & Bros.

In the 36-hole final the former Hyde Park captain defeated Garrett Larkin of Westward Ho, 9 and 7. Despite a chilly day, almost a hundred players competed in the qualifying round, which was won by "Big Bill" Rautenbusch, the city champion, with a fine 63. This was four strokes ahead of Robert Shealy and five below Matt Kelly, the Cook County Open Champion. Crowdus was sixth with a 69, and tied with Jack Watts, the Scotch footballer. A 72 was the highest score to qualify, five tieing for last place in the championship flight.

The biggest surprise of the tournament came in the first round of match play when Rautenbusch was eliminated by John Humphreys, a fourteen-year-old southpaw schoolboy. This came as a severe shock to many who had picked "Big Bill" to win the title. The week previous Rautenbusch had finished eleventh in the National Open at Midlothian. "Bill" was a little off his game and young Humphreys, going at top speed, managed to win 2 and 1. In an exciting match that went three extra holes Dr. Code of Westward Ho defeated S. Ryan of Garfield Park. Larkin swamped R. Morriss of St. Paul, 9 and 8. Rob Roy gave Crowdus a hard match, only losing 2 and 1. Kelly, the open champion, won easily, 5 and 4.

The second round saw the end of Humphreys, Larkin disposing of him 6 and 5 without much difficulty. Andrew Humphreys, a brother of John, defeated Watts by 3 and 1.

Another surprise developed when Walt Crowdus won from Kelly, the open champion, 6 and 4. Kelly was the favorite for the title, and a closer match had been expected. After halving the first hole, Crowdus won the next three and finally ended the match on the fourteenth green.

Dr. Code was forced to succumb to the superior playing of O. L. Lind, the latter winning 3 and 2.

The semi-finals proved to be very closely fought. In the Larkin-Humphreys match, the card showed all square at the turn. Coming in, Larkin won the eleventh and the thirteenth, the latter with a fine 2. Humphreys won the sixteenth, leaving him 1 and 2. The last two holes were halved, Larkin winning 1 up.

Crowdus started out at top speed and was 4 up at the end of the sixth, but here Lind found himself, and, taking a brace, won the next four holes in succession, while Crowdus took a bad slump. This left the match all square at the tenth. Crowdus won the eleventh with a 3, 1 under par, but Lind came right back on the twelfth and did the same, again squaring the match. Both drove the thirteenth green, but Lind took 3 putts and lost. Crowdus also won the next, and was 2 up; halving the fifteenth and a win on the sixteenth gave Crowdus the match, 3 and 2.

A large gallery watched the finals. Larkin and Crowdus halved the first hole in 5, but the latter had the first bit of luck at the second, a two-foot stymie giving him the lead. An extra putt lost the fourth hole for Larkin, and he dropped the sixth on a short approach. A short drive at the eighth hole, 175 yards, cost him the eighth hole. He was having a bad time at the even holes, dropping all of them and being 4 down at the end of the first round.

Larkin scored his first win at the second hole of the second round, his opponent rimming an eleven-footer, while the Westward Ho man was down in 3. Crowdus sent his drive to the 219-yard third green and was down in 3. Again at the fourth he was on, eight feet away for a 3. His mashie pitch to the sixth was over the gravel walk, out of bounds, which cost the hole, as Larkin was down in par 4. Crowdus drove hole-high at the eighth and rolled a twenty-six-footer dead, Larkin being short. Crowdus was 5 up at the halfway mark.

Larkin grew unsteady as the game progressed, and took 39 for the third round. Crowdus, with the exception of a 5 at the short third hole, maintained an even gait. He was home in 35 and had a lead of 7 up when they began the last round.

Larkin opened by pulling his drives to the trees and putting his second out of bounds. His third was short, and he eventually found the cup in 7. Crowdus took 4 and won the next hole, 4—6, giving him the match and the championship. The cards:

Crowdus	5	4	3	3	3	4	4	3	3—32
Larkin	5	5	3	4	3	5	4	4	3—36
Crowdus	5	4	3	3	4	5	4	3	4—35—67
Larkin	5	3	4	4	4	4	4	5	4—37—73
Crowdus	4	4	5	3	3	4	5	3	4—35
Larkin	5	5	4	4	5	3	5	5	3—39

Crowdus, 4, 4; Larkin, 7, 6.

In the second flight, Norman McLeod and Paul Burnett had a close contest, but the former showed a flash of speed in the fourth round, winning five of the seven holes played and taking the match 3 and 2. Burnett took a lead of 2 up at the start and held it for three rounds. In the second flight semi-finals, F. P. Burnett, Maywood, defeated J. M. Kennedy, Marshall High, 5 and 4. Norman McLeod, Garfield Park, defeated Lloyd Gullicksen, Jackson Park, 1 up, 19 holes.

FIRST FLIGHT.

First round—J. H. Humphreys, Crane H. S., d. Wm. Rautenbusch, Garfield Park, 2 and 1; G. T. Larkin, Westward Ho, d. R. Morris, St. Paul, 9 and 8; A. Humphreys, Crane H. S., d. R. Sheady, Garfield Park, 4 and 3; J. Watt, St. Andrews, won from H. Terlschmidt, Minneapolis, by default; Matt Kelly, Garfield Park, d. F. M. Murphy, Garfield Park, 5 and 4; Walt Crowdus, Flossmoor, d. Rob Roy, Garfield Park, 2 and 1; O. L. Lind, Garfield Park, d. T. F. McWalters, Harlem, 1 up; Dr. W. E. Code, Westward Ho, d. S. M. Ryan, Garfield Park, 1 up, 21 holes. Second round—Larkin d. Humphreys, 6 and 5; A. Humphreys d. Watt, 3 and 1; Crowdus d. Kelly, 6 and 4; Lind d. Code, 3 and 2. Semi-final round—Larkin d. Humphreys, 1 up; Crowdus d. Lind, 3 and 2.

Final Round—Walter C. Crowdus, Flossmoor, d. Garrett M. Larkin, Westward Ho, 9 and 7.

SECOND FLIGHT.

First round—C. F. Wickham, University of Illinois, d. J. Ingwersen, Wendell Phillips H. S., 3 and 2; J. M. Kennedy, Marshall H. S., d. N. Morris, Garfield, 5 and 4; S. O. Burroughs, Jackson Park, d. C. C. Jones, Jackson Park, 8 and 7; F. P. Burnett, Maywood, d. Julian Crowdus, Hyde Park H. S., 2 up; N. J. McLeod, Garfield, d. G. Jones, Marquette Park, 6 and 5; R. Bieghler, Garfield, d. E. T. Coyne, Garfield, 2 and 1; L. Gullicksen, Bowen H. S., d. M. J. Solen, Marquette Park, 4 and 3; J. G. Sanford, Jackson Park, d. E. F. McGrath, University of Chicago, 2 up. Second round—Kennedy d. Wickham, 3 and 2; Burnett d. Burroughs, 1 up; McLeod d. Bieghler, 1 up; Gullicksen d. Sanford, 1 up. Semi-final round—Burnett d. Kennedy, 5 and 4; McLeod d. Gullicksen, 1 up, 19 holes.

Final round—Norman J. McLeod, Garfield Park, d. Paul Burnett, Maywood, 3 and 2.

CHICAGO DISTRICT GOLF ASSOCIATION CHAMPIONSHIP.

Held at the Ravisloe Country Club, Homewood, Ill.

Charles Evans, Jr., had pretty easy sailing to annex the Chicago District Association title. His scoring was quite remarkable, and taking into consideration the length of the course and its hazardous nature it was a feat worthy of a Vardon. He led his nearest competitor, R. A. Gardner, by 17 shots. The following are the scores and comparative cards of Evans and Gardner's record score:

Charles Evans, Jr., Edgewater	146	149	295
R. A. Gardner, Hinsdale	149	163	312
W. C. Crowdus, Flossmoor	162	155	317
C. F. Grimes, Calumet	158	160	318
W. B. Langford, Glen Oak	155	165	320
P. Gardner, Midlothian	157	163	320
J. N. McDonald, Calumet	157	164	321
M. Heller, Ravisloe	163	167	330
R. T. Rolfe, Flossmoor	166	166	332

Yards	Par	Evans	Gardner	Yards	Par	Evans	Gardner
325	4	4	4	420	4	4	5
522	5	6	5	193	3	4	3
575	5	5	4	377	4	5	4
177	3	3	3	528	5	4	5
332	4	4	5	417	4	4	4
143	3	3	2	313	4	4	4
220	3	4	3	435	5	4	4
336	4	4	4	335	4	4	5
412	4	4	4	150	3	3	3
	35	37	34		36	36	37

DETROIT AND VICINITY.

By H. H. H.

Golf is enjoyed in Detroit the year around in some form or other, indoors or outdoors, whichever the individual chooses, and there are many that go South in winter to keep in trim for the tournaments. Good roads and street car service enable the different club members to enjoy an exchange of courtesies in playing over the different courses in the vicinity of Detroit. Among the clubs most frequently visited in this way are the Detroit Country Club at Grosse Pointe; the Detroit Golf Club, in Highland Park; Bloomfield Hills Country Club, on the Pontiac electric line at Bloomfield Center; Essex Golf and Country Club, south of Windsor, Ontario; Grosse Ile Golf and Country Club, on Grosse Ile; Phœnix Golf Club, on the Orchard Lake electric line; Red Run Golf Club, in Royal Oak; Mount Clemens Golf Club, in Mt. Clemens; Port Huron Golf Club, in Port Huron, and the Ann Arbor Golf Club, in Ann Arbor.

There are frequent matches between these various clubs and minor tourneys going on all the time, but the big attraction each year is the Detroit Golf Association Championship Tournament, which is open to the members.

Unfortunately for a great number, Detroit has no public golf course, and the prospect of getting one seems to be a long way off, although the matter has been taken up for discussion many times from year to year. This class of golfers are determined to have a course before much longer, however, and if they keep growing in numbers as they have in the last year or so, in making their demands, something will have to drop for them.

The season of 1915 golf in Detroit promises to be a record-breaker since the national amateur championship was awarded to the Detroit Country Club. As soon as word arrived that the blue ribbon event of the country would be held in Detroit there was new life in golfing circles, despite the fact that it was in January. Indications are that Detroit was favored above all others for the big tourney, as the question was settled unanimously, with such clubs backing her as Apawamis, Arcola, Baltimore Country Club, Baltusrol, Beverly, Brae Burn, Brooklawn, Chicago, Colorado Springs, Columbia, Atlantic City, Chevy Chase, Brookline, Buffalo and Lakewood, which should insure an unusually large entry.

It will be a stupendous achievement for any of Detroit's golfers to beat the pick of the nation's amateurs in this event, but there are several players of top class who, with the advantage of being on their home links, and the breaks in their favor, should make a strong bid.

There were five Detroiters in the 1914 U. S. G. A. ratings that are handicapped five or less—Joseph B. Schlotman, James D. Standish, Jr., Howard B. Lee, J. T. McMillan and Gilbert Waldo. It is believed that the 1915 handicaps will find other Detroiters in or under the five class. Wylie Carhartt, E. H. Brown, present Michigan champion; Louis Bredin, and Worden Hunter are among others that are eligible locals for the National. There were 17 golfers in the country who had lower handicaps than any Detroiter, according to the 1914 U. S. G. A. list; so even if conditions were equitable in the matter of total entries the home talent would be on the short end of the betting. Among the big attractions of Detroit golf in the near future will be the new 36-hole course in Palmer Park at the Detroit Golf Club. The growth of this club is very interesting, and the present facts concerning it show co-operation of members and officers from the start. In the season of 1899-1900 the club was organized and occupied grounds in Highland Park not far from the present location. The old course was worked up into fine shape, where many a tournament was held that will be remembered by golfers from all parts, and little did any one think of the club attaining any better conditions, everything was in such ideal order. The one big point that was not satisfactory to all concerned was the fact that the club did not own the land they were on, nor could see future prospects of obtaining it. Within a few years of that time the opportunity for the club to start on a plan to own their property presented itself, and it was then and there that the members and officers of the Detroit Golf Club started on the biggest project that has ever been known concerning golf clubs. Everything pertaining to moving to the new property and the laying out of the course was carefully planned and carried out. The two-story clubhouse, finished off with brown shingles, was put at the edge of a large grove, with the tennis courts, driveways, number one tee and the eighteenth green at perfectly appointed places. This new club in Palmer Park developed rapidly and grew in favor to such an extent that it was necessary to put a limit of three hundred to the membership, which was always filled and had a long waiting list. The course of eighteen holes was made very sporty by throwing up bunkers fourteen feet high, besides including the usual traps, elbow holes and ditches. Although the clubhouse is within a pleasant walking distance of the Woodward Street cars, there is a 'bus service from the car line to the club, and it is thirty minutes by street car from the heart of the city. Plans were formulated early in 1914 for the purchase of the land on which the present course was laid out and 130 acres additional to the west. The membership will be increased to 600 active members, and no doubt will fill up immediately. Besides having the only 36-hole course in this part of the country to play over, the members of this club will have a practice ground 100 yards wide and 250 yards long. The blue prints of the new course also show that the holes will cross ditches eighteen times, and these ditches are not of small proportion; some of the holes are parallel,

the long ones and short ones well mixed—there will be over 6,400 yards in the first eighteen and over 6,100 in the other eighteen holes. Ernest Way, the professional of this club, will have an assistant professional, since practically every member of the club plays golf. The successful carrying out of the plans is largely due to the efforts of President A. J. Hood and H. H. Rackham.

The season of 1914 was very active for the Detroit Golf Club and will be recorded among the red-letter years of its history.

Besides the numerous inter-club tournaments, the Michigan Open Championship and Detroit Golf Association tourneys were held at this club, and everyone joined in the praise of the condition of the course.

DETROIT CITY GOLF ASSOCIATION.

Fourth Annual Tournament.

The 1914 city championship was played on the same basis as that of the "open" tourney, medal play competition of 72 holes. All other players were drawn in flights of sixteen, according to their scores in the qualifying round, and played eighteen holes match play in their respective flights.

Since this tournament was on the same days of the "open," August 27, 28, 29, and at the Detroit Golf Club, the arrangement allowed amateurs to enter both events. Howard B. Lee, who finished third in the open with 316, won the city championship by the small margin of two strokes from L. L. Bredin with 318. Bredin was going nicely, but something happened and when on the last 18 holes, four strokes behind, he evened up on the tenth, then took two sixes for a total of 41 for the last nine, which proved fatal. A. V. Lee, Jr., and Worden Hunter were the only others to finish, scoring 329 and 330 respectively. E. H. Brown with a 77 was low man qualifying on Thursday. The scores of the four who finished were:

H. B. Lee	82	79	76	79—316
L. L. Bredin	81	80	80	77—318
A. V. Lee, Jr.	75	86	85	83—329
Worden Hunter	79	82	86	83—330

There were six flights played besides the championship event, and competition was so good that numerous extra hole contests were required. F. G. Skinner won the second flight, pulling through with a one-hole margin. H. T. Cole upheld the Detroit Country Club's honor by taking the third, while E. M. Smith was best in the fourth, Fred Stockwell in the fifth and R. A. Newman in the sixth.

SECOND FLIGHT.

First round—A. V. Lee d. George F. Smith, 4 and 3; C. C. Gilbert d. Hugh Vaughn, by default; H. A. Wallace d. Cullen Corliss, 5 and 4; George B. Renchard d. E. A. Sumner, 2 and 1; T. S. O'Brien d. J. E. Smith, 1 up; J. H. Murphy d. W. A. Farlow, 1 up; F. G. Skinner d. W. A. Moran, 5 and 4; N. B. Ackley d. H. N. Leonard, 2 and 1.

Second round—C. C. Gilbert d. A. V. Lee, 4 and 3; George B. Renchard d. H. A. Wallace, 4 and 3; J. H. Murphy d. T. S. O'Brien, 1 up, 19 holes; F. G. Skinner d. N. B. Ackley, 4 and 3.

Semi-final round—George B. Renchard d. C. C. Gilbert, 2 up; F. G. Skinner d. J. H. Murphy, 1 up.

Final round—F. G. Skinner d. George B. Renchard, 1 up.

Consolation final—J. E. Smith d. G. F. Smith, 2 and 1.

THIRD FLIGHT.

First round—J. H. Avery d. F. P. Smith, 2 and 1; A. D. Mitchell d. Max Strasburg, 4 and 3; W. H. Hutchins d. W. W. Clarke, 4 and 2; P. A. Macdonald d. C. B. Hull, 6 and 4; H. T. Cole d. V. N. Gurney, 6 and 4; A. Wineman d. T. N. Nielson, 5 and 4; W. G. Curtis d. G. B. Bury, 3 and 2; L. N. Murray d. E. L. Warner, 1 up, 20 holes.

Second round—A. D. Mitchell d. J. H. Avery, 4 and 3; P. A. Macdonald d. W. H. Hutchins; H. T. Cole d. A. Wineman, 2 up; L. N. Murray d. W. G. Curtis, 4 and 3.

Semi-final round—A. D. Mitchell d. P. A. Macdonald, 3 and 1; H. T. Cole d. L. N. Murray, 3 and 1.

Final round—H. T. Cole d. A. D. Mitchell, 2 up

Consolation final—E. L. Warner d. F. P. Smith, 1 up.

FOURTH FLIGHT.

First round—R. B. King d. J. H. Emmert, by default; J. L. Lee d. W. D. Trump, 2 up; B. S. Warren d. H. H. Hutchinson, 2 and 1; C. B. Tuttle d. F H. Holt, by default; Wm. H. Smith d. J. W. Watling, 2 up; W. L. Holmes d. F. L. Klingensmith, by default; N. T. Brotherton d. B. Stroh, Jr., 2 up; E. M. Smith d. A. B. Caldwell, 4 and 3.

Second round—R. B. King d. J. L. Lee, 4 and 2; B. S. Warren d. C. B. Tuttle, 2 and 1; Wm. H. Smith d. W. L. Holmes, 2 up; E. M. Smith d. N. J. Brotherton, 2 and 1.

Semi-final round—B. S. Warren d. R. B. King, 4 and 3; E. M. Smith d. Wm. H. Smith, 2 and 1.

Final round—E. M. Smith d. B. S. Warren, 2 up

Consolation final—W. D. Trump d. J. W. Watling, 5 and 3.

FIFTH FLIGHT.

First round—W. B. Colburn d. W. D. Walker, 2 up; F. O. Waldo d. W. C. Hartman, 2 up; E. R. Viger d. J. S. Rogers, 6 and 5; J. D. Bagley d. C. D. Morris, 2 up; T. Hunter d. C. S. Pike, by default; Fred Stockwell d. J. B. Corliss, 8 and 7; J. L. Stockard d. V. F. Dewey, 2 and 1; C. H. Bredin d. H. W. Taylor, 3 and 2.

Second round—W. B Colburn d. F. O. Waldo, 4 and 2; J. D. Bagley d. E. R. Viger, 3 and 2; Fred Stockwell d. T. Hunter, by default; J. L. Stockard d. C. H. Bredin, 2 and 1.

Semi-final round—W. B. Colburn d. J. D. Bagley, 1 up; Fred Stockwell d. J. L. Stockard, 5 and 4.

Final round—Fred Stockwell d. W. B. Colburn, 1 up, 19 holes.

Consolation final—J. B. Corliss d. W. D. Walker, 4 and 3.

SIXTH FLIGHT.

First round—R. A. Newman d. H. T. Viger, 7 and 6; Stanton Clark d. H. Johnson, by default; Phil Rafferty d. W. T. Livingstone 1 up, 19 holes; Alvan Macauley, Jr., d. G. C. Osterhouse, 4 and 3; A. Dickinson d. H. C. Rose, 3 and 2; G. C. Williams d. O. W. White, 2 and 1; W. S. Thompson d. C. W. Earle, 1 up, 19 holes; J. Cotner, Jr., d. H. R. Earle, 2 up.

Second round—R. A. Newman d. Stanton Clark, 2 and 1; Phil Rafferty d. Alvan Macauley, Jr., 3 and 2; G. C. Williams d. A. Dickinson, 1 up; J. Cotner, Jr., d. W. S. Thompson, 5 and 4.

Semi-final round—R. A. Newman d. Phil Rafferty, 3 and 1; J. Cotner, Jr., d. G. C. Williams, 3 and 2.

Final round—R. A. Newman d. J. Cotner, Jr., 1 up, 19 holes.

Consolation final—T. T. Viger d. O. W. White, 3 and 2.

GOLF AROUND INDIANAPOLIS.

One place where golf is booming is in the Hoosier town of Indianapolis. More activity has been displayed during the past year than in any previous one. The new country club course has been brought into play and the park commissioners have again demonstrated that they are alive to the needs of the people by extending the scope of the public courses.

Another factor which has had considerable influence was the win of Mrs. Henry Hammond in the Women's Western Championship—a fact which has stimulated in a remarkable way the golf among lady players at the Country and the Highland clubs, as also at the public courses.

The Indiana championship, which was won by R. L. Resener of the Riverside Club—one of the public course clubs—tended also to stimulate an immense amount of interest. Then the formation of the Central Golf Association to be composed of clubs in the states of Michigan, Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana and Illinois (outside of the Chicago district) made quite a hit. The association plans to hold annual tournaments similar to the Western amateur women's and open championship.

The organization of the association is due in great measure to the efforts of Will Diddle, the ex-amateur champion of the state. Mr. Diddle has been honored with the secretaryship of the association.

The activities of the park commissioners have been directed to the South Grove golf course, which is located at the south end of Riverside Park. Until the close of the season of 1914 there was a nine-hole course of the total length of 2,667 yards. During that year the links were extended, for

e in 1915, to eighteen holes, and are of the total length of 6,172 yards. ere will be found one hole of 700 yards—so far as reported, the longest le in any existing golf course.

This course is maintained by the Board of Park Commissioners of In- napolis; and, except charges for lockers in the golf house, is free. During e season of 1914 it was frequented by a greater number of players, both en and women, than any course in Indiana. It lies beautifully in the lley of White River, and at places, within the distance of a golf drive om the river banks. The fashionable Riverside Boulevard bounds the urse on the west. The natural lie of the ground gives a considerable versity to the enterprising golfer, through natural hazards, ranging from e level of the bottom lands to an eminence thirty feet higher; once the nks, in a geologic sense, of the river. The extended course includes a fine tural hazard consisting of a lake, across which, for the distance of about nety yards, drives will be attempted, and if one's "goat" does not get him, ll be made. There are numerous other natural and artificial hazards.

The South Grove Golf Club, organized in 1914, to promote good fellowship d play in accordance with the rules of the United States Golf Association, ds its home on these links. In the season of 1914 the players averaged 0 per week. An increase of this average is anticipated for 1915. Harry hopp is the professional.

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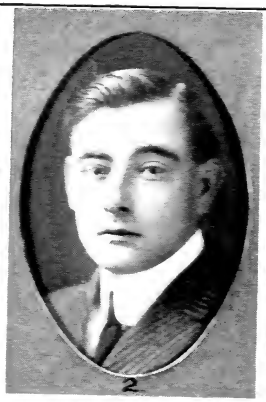

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Golf on the Pacific Coast

Golf on the Pacific Coast is enjoying a decided boom this year, no doubt owing to the war and to the fact that tourists are killing a few birds with one stone—seeing America first, then the expositions at San Francisco and San Diego. This, though enforced, is indeed desirable, as it will make them more appreciative of what they have got at home. A great deal of improvement in the golf courses has become necessary and much has been done. At the Presidio golf course many changes have been made and now the course is of a very sporty nature. It is situated on the Presidio Reservation, within 20 minutes' ride of San Francisco. The putting greens are all undulating and are of an excellent turf, as is also the fair green. The course is 5,305 yards long, par 70; out 2,448 yards, par 34; in 2,857 yards, par 36.

From a scenic point of view it is one of the prettiest courses in the world, and its members are known over the United States for their good sportsmanship.

At the new course of the Sequoyah Country Club there is also a great deal doing, and when it has reached the objective its promoters have in mind one will have to travel far to beat it.

The desire for a really fine championship course of full length with watered turf over the fairway led the keen supporters of the Royal and Ancient game around San Francisco Bay to organize this club. The Sequoyah Country Club's land, comprising 180 acres of level and rolling ground, lies high up in the hills back of Oakland, in the form of a sheltered plateau having a superb outlook over the Golden Gate, the bay and the cities on its shores. The combination of the decomposed sandstone soil with a very large supply of water gives practically perfect conditions for the turf, and the contour and natural hazards go to make one of the most interesting courses in the United States, with no severe hill work. The course is 6,340 yards in length and a round gives every club in the bag a chance, great pains having been taken to get the full use of the creeks and other natural hazards as well as the lie of the land. The seventh green is protected by a pond—as pretty a pitch approach as can be conceived.

The club is within the hour of San Francisco and thirty minutes of the center of Oakland, some eight miles distant from the latter point.

The membership is limited to 350 regular members, but the by-laws provide well for non-resident and visiting members.

A specialty is also being made of tennis, the canvas covered "ship-deck" courts being right next the clubhouse, so that play can be watched from the veranda. Enough land was included in the club's original purchase to provide also for polo, trap-shooting and the other activities of a true country club without any interference with each other. The Sequoyah Country Club should become one of the notable clubs of the country.

The San Francisco Golf Club course at Ingleside, the Claremont Country Club, Burlingame and Beresford Country Clubs can all be reached within an hour from San Francisco, while a little further on the new Country Club of San Jose is within call. This is a pretty course situated on the eastern foothills overlooking the whole Santa Clara Valley, and having a view of San Francisco Bay. It has been extended to eighteen holes and, having turf putting greens, is becoming quite a rendezvous for traveling golfers. The membership exceeds 400, many of them from San Francisco. We have always a hearty welcome for visitors and hope that many golfers from the East will give us an opportunity to show them what we have and to partake of our hospitality during 1915, or any other time.

Santa Cruz comes next on the map, leading Del Monte by an hour or two. From there one can journey to Santa Barbara, where a couple of courses can be played upon, but one had better stop off at Paso Robles and limber up by taking a few of the baths there and trying a round on the nine-hole course. It will be found to be as good a test as can be found elsewhere on the coast. It will then be about time to think about running on to Los

1, George Smith, Del Monte, Cal., Pacific Coast Open Champion; 2, Hutton Martin and, 3, Ernest Martin, Los Angeles Country Club, Beverly Hills, Cal., Southern California Open Champion and Runner-up, 1914; 4, Charles D. Thom, Burlingame (Cal.) Country Club.

Angeles, where the revival of the game took place about five or six years ago, by the organization of such clubs as the San Gabriel Country Club (eighteen holes), the Altadena Country Club, Pasadena (eighteen holes), the Virginia Country Club, Long Beach (recently extended to eighteen holes). The Raymond Hotel in Pasadena has kept up a nine-hole course for fifteen years, while the Hotel Green has just recently installed one for the sole use of its guests, and the latest is the Midrick Country Club at Ramona, a first-class course of eighteen holes.

In 1900 there were probably as many golf courses in existence in California as there are to-day. However, between the golf clubs of that period and the present time there is no comparison. For instance, the $200,000 clubhouse of the Los Angeles Country Club compared with its first structure, or the palatial domicile of the Annandale Golf Club compared with the little bungalow of the old Pasadena Country Club. Another instance: In the San Bernardino Valley, which contains the towns of San Bernardino, Redlands and Riverside, in 1900 there were no less than six golf courses. Now there are only two—the Victoria Golf Club, Riverside, and the Redlands Country Club. But these two represent more genuine golfing activity than the six did together at that time. These towns are just on the eve of combining for a substantial golf club with an eighteen-hole course that will guarantee the game being enjoyed under the best conditions that can be obtained in southern California, which will be a great boon to the many eastern golfers during the winter season who prefer the dry, bracing atmosphere of the interior to the moister condition prevailing nearer the coast. In the meantime, the Victoria Golf Club of Riverside has just completed extensive improvements upon its house and grounds, while the Redlands Club is arranging for the addition of twenty bedrooms to its clubhouse. The hotel accommodation of the former place at the famous Glenwood Mission Inn are second to none, while a structure comprising the same superb features is being contemplated at the latter.

With the new eighteen-hole course down at San Diego one feels that there is no better climate under the sun to indulge in this royal sport than there. There is an average temperature of from 52 to 65 all the year around, which is something that the middle westerner can hardly conceive of, and yet it is a fact. Tourists to Nice, Pau, Biarritz, Mentone or any of these popular continental watering places will find that San Diego has them all beaten a mile. The new course has a most wonderful location. A part of it is in the old bed of the San Diego River and is of a silt soil, which will be one of the best propagating beds for grass for a golf course which can be found anywhere. The other half is on the uplands, commanding a wonderful view of San Diego Bay, with the city of San Diego beyond, while the Coronado Hotel, with all its popular and social attractions, is easily seen. Immediately to the rear of one who is looking at these things can be seen False Bay, as it comes in from the Pacific, while the seaside resort of Ocean Beach is easily discerned. A splendid clubhouse has been erected and its contiguity to the car line is something that is going to make this course exceedingly popular. One can go to the clubhouse from this U. S. Grant Hotel in something like twenty minutes and there is no doubt about it that it will be a very popular place for golfers from all parts of the country who stay in the various hotels in San Diego, as it will give advantages which few of the Californian courses offer to the golf player. Not a rock can be found on the ground, so that when a man pitches a ball toward the green he is perfectly sure of where it is going to go. This cannot be said of very many other courses in that part of the country. There is a membership just now of 400 and the tourist can be sure of this one thing—that he will find a welcome at the Country Club when he goes to San Diego.

Over at Coronado nine more holes have been added since last year, so that they now have an eighteen-hole course of fairly good length. This gives San Diego practically two eighteen-hole courses, which will amply accommodate all the visiting golfers to the exposition.

At La Jolla there is still a club and a nine-hole course in existence. At Lakeside Inn (fifteen miles interior) another, while at Del Mar, a new and fashionable watering-place sixteen miles north of San Diego, there is a nine-hole course in connection with Stratford Inn. In addition to these is the

1, Tom Nicoll, San Jose (Cal.) Golf and Country Club; 2, William Hanley, Annandale Country Club, Pasadena, Cal.; 3, W. McKenzie, Aurora (Ill.) Country Club; 4, J. Martin Watson, Waverley Golf Club, Portland, Ore.; 5, Willie Lock, Sequoyah Country Club, Oakland, Cal.; 6, John S. Black, Claremont Country Club, Oakland, Cal.; 7, George C. Turnbull, Coronado, Cal.

old-time Santa Catalina Island Golf Club, the course of which is almo world-famous for its unique situation, and where golf has been enjoye without cessation since its inception in southern California.

This will certainly provide the tourist to the coast with many objectiv if he is a golfer, for from San Francisco to San Diego, a distance of near seven hundred miles, he can find courses of every conceivable kind—sho ones, long ones, easy ones and hard ones, good ones and bad ones, and a within his reach.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST CHAMPIONSHIPS.

After leading the field in the qualifying round of the Pacific Northwe championship at the Seattle Golf Club with the score of 149, H. Chandl Egan, former national champion, met defeat in the finals at the han of Jack Neville, the California champion, to the extent of 5 and 4. Nevil played a brilliant game, making a new course record of 69 in the mornir and leading Egan by four holes. Neville's card was:

Out.....	4	4	3	4	4	3	4	3	5—34
In.....	3	3	5	4	4	4	4	4	4—35—69

Neville won his match in the semi-finals from A. V. Macan, the title holde by the big margin of 11 and 9, while Egan pushed aside Paul Ford, the 1 year-old Seattle sensation, by 7 and 6. Neville had two 35's, and was 9 u on the Victorian in the morning round, so it was just a question of whe the match would end in the afternoon. Egan made no mistakes again young Ford, but the boy held his experienced opponent to a three hole lea in the morning.

Egan had a close call in the first round, but managed to win the nineteen hole from W. H. Ricardo, Victoria. Neville had rather close matches of and 1 with H. T. Gardner, Vancouver, and O. W. Potter, formerly of Mi lothian. The sensation of the tournament was the defeat of E. S. Arr strong, Los Angeles, 1 up, by young Ford. Macan squelched the hopes "Dixie" Fleager, Seattle's main hope, by defeating him 5 and 4.

E. H. Hughes, Spokane, won the first flight, defeating E. J. Barker, Butt on the twentieth green. C. F. Ford, San Francisco, took home the secor flight prize as the result of his victory over J. T. Keena, Seattle, on tl nineteenth green.

WOMEN'S

Miss Violet Pooley, the noted Victorian player, captured the women's char pionship, defeating Mrs. Macan by 5 and 4. Mrs. C. F. Ford added to tl family plate by winning the second flight from Miss Lillian Howarth, Eve ett, 7 and 6, Mrs. Langley of Victoria capturing the first flight prize.

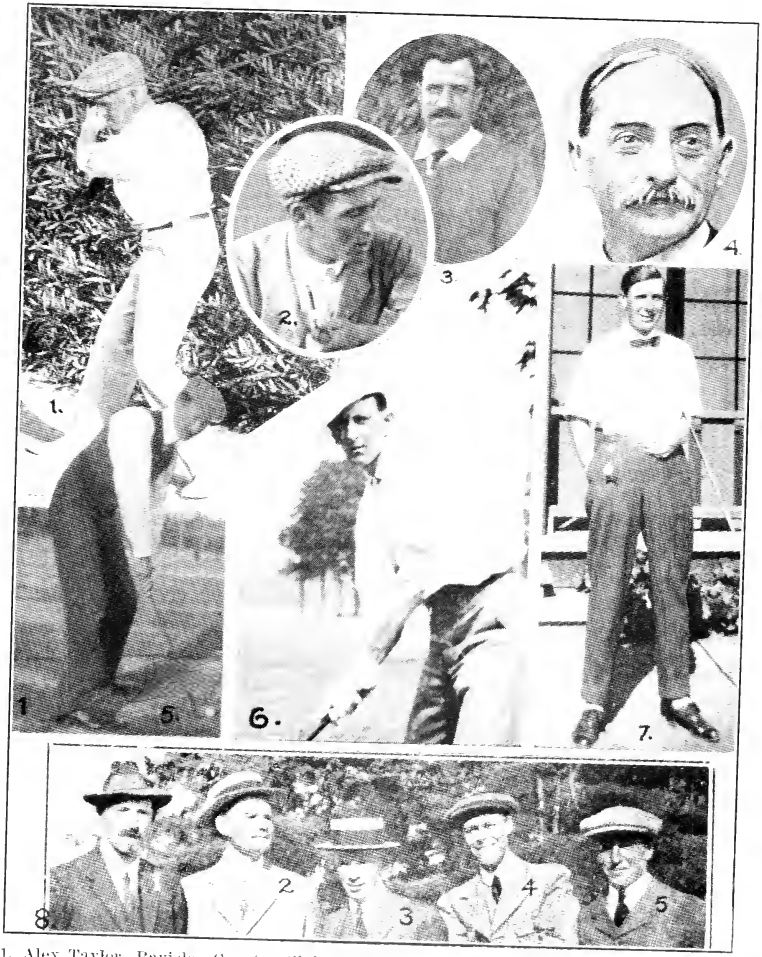
CALIFORNIA CHAMPIONSHIP.

Following his success of last spring when he wrested the Northern Cal fornia championship from Jack Neville of Claremont, Harry B. K. Davis the Presidio Club of San Francisco has climbed to greater golfing heigh by winning the championship of California.

The former Denver and Portland star gained his new honors at the e pense of Heinrich Schmidt, the former Worcester, Mass., high school playe now located at San Francisco, defeating the youngster who nearly ups Champion Hilton in England in 1913, by a margin of 5 and 4.

Although this match was the final stepping stone, Davis really found h *"open sesame"* to the state title when he dethroned Jack Neville, the 191 and 1913 champion, in the semi-final round by defeating him 1 up. Up this point both contestants had won by comfortable margins, but in tl crucial struggle the newcomer to California golfing circles upset the nati son, who for some time past has reigned supreme along the Pacific Coas

The presence of Schmidt and Davis compensated for the absence of Norma Macbeth, William Frederickson, N. P. Mears, W. F. Garby, Cyril Tobin ar others, who have been prominent in preceding tournaments.



1, Alex Taylor, Ravisloe Country Club, Homewood, Ill.; 2, Louis Berrien, Professional, Salt Lake Country Club; 3, F. A. Peebles, Midwick Country Club; 4, George Lawson, Redlands, Cal.; 5, Peter Lubetich, Santa Catalina Island Golf Club, Avalon, Cal.; 6, P. Sontar; 7, George Martin, Virginia Country Club, Long Beach, Cal.; 8, A GROUP OF PROFESSIONALS—1, J. Duthie, Vancouver, B. C.; 2, R. Johnstone, Seattle; 3, W. Moffat, Victoria, B. C.; 4, W. Blinks, Vancouver, B. C.; 5, C. Horton, Earlington.

Schmidt was the victor in an interesting triangular fight for low medal score, but in winning by the narrow margin of two strokes he set a new mark of 142 for the medal round of the California championship. He had scores of 70 and 72, par for the course being 72. Davis was second with 72—72—144, E. S. Armstrong of Annandale being only one stroke behind with 73—72—145, while champion Neville ensconsed himself in fourth place with 75—72—147. Distances:

Out.....	396	500	153	323	575	400	192	225	460—3224
In.....	473	233	385	201	381	277	432	145	386—2913
Total yards.....									6137

The initial surprise of the tournament came in the first round when Armstrong, who has figured in many finals at Del Monte, and who was considered the "hope of the South," was eliminated by A. A. French, a clubmate from Annandale. Summary:

First round—H. Schmidt, Claremont, d. R. M. Combe, Vancouver, 6 and 5; O. W. Potter, Seattle, d. F. H. O'Keefe, San Jose, 3 and 2; R. W. Hayne, Burlingame, d. E. C. La Montagne, San Francisco, 2 up; K. Monteagle, Marin, d. H. B. Lindsay, San Francisco, 5 and 3; M. S. Phillips, Redlands, d. H. T. Major, Annandale, 1 up, 19 holes; C. H. Walter, San Jose, d. A. C. Sellery, Virginia, 4 and 2; J. A. Jevne, Los Angeles, d. H. S. Black, San Francisco, 2 up; A. A. French, Los Angeles, d. E. S. Armstrong, Midwick 1 up, 19 holes; H. B. K. Davis, Presidio, d. E. B. Tufts, Los Angeles, 5 and 4; G. T. Cline, San Gabriel, d. Dr. J. Eaves, Burlingame, 2 and 1; C. E. Maud, San Francisco, d. R. J. Cash, Los Angeles, 2 and 1; V. Whitney, San Francisco, d. L. Sloss, Jr., Beresford, 1 up; W. Campbell, Long Beach, d. H. S. Pritchett, Santa Barbara, 5 and 4; A. H. Braly, Annandale, d. G. Cadwallader, Burlingame, 2 and 1; E. K. Johnston, San Jose, d. W. Davis, El Paso, 2 and 1; J. Neville, Claremont, d. W. Crosby, Presidio, 6 and 5.

Second round—Schmidt d. Potter, 5 and 3; Hayne d. Monteagle, 8 and 6; Walter d. Phillips, 5 and 4; French d. Jevne, 2 up; Davis d. Cline, 7 and 5; Maud d. Whitney, 6 and 5; Campbell d. Braly, 3 and 2; Neville d. Johnston, 7 and 5.

Third round—Schmidt d. Hayne, 3 and 2; French d. Walter, 1 up; Davis d. Maud, 3 and 2; Neville d. Campbell, 8 and 6.

Semi-final round—Schmidt d. French, 2 and 1; Davis d. Neville, 1 up.

Final round—W. Davis, El Paso, d. H. Schmidt, Claremont, 6 and 5.

Results of final matches in the minor flights were:

Championship beaten sixteen—R. M. Combe (4) d. E. B. Tufts (4), 1 up.
Del Monte Cup—Sumner Hunt (3) d. Guy Cochrane (1), 1 up, 37 holes.
Third flight—A. R. Pommer (5) d. A. J. Welch (5), 1 up, 19 holes.
Fourth flight—C. B. Clay (5) d. F. H. Gilchrist (3), 5 and 3.
Fifth flight—Lieutenant Rheinhardt (5) d. R. Roos (0), 2 and 1.
Sixth flight—J. H. Miles (3) d. C. T. Hoag (5), 5 and 4.
Del Monte Cup beaten sixteen—E. H. L. Gregory (0) d. R. M. Eyre (1), 2 and 1.

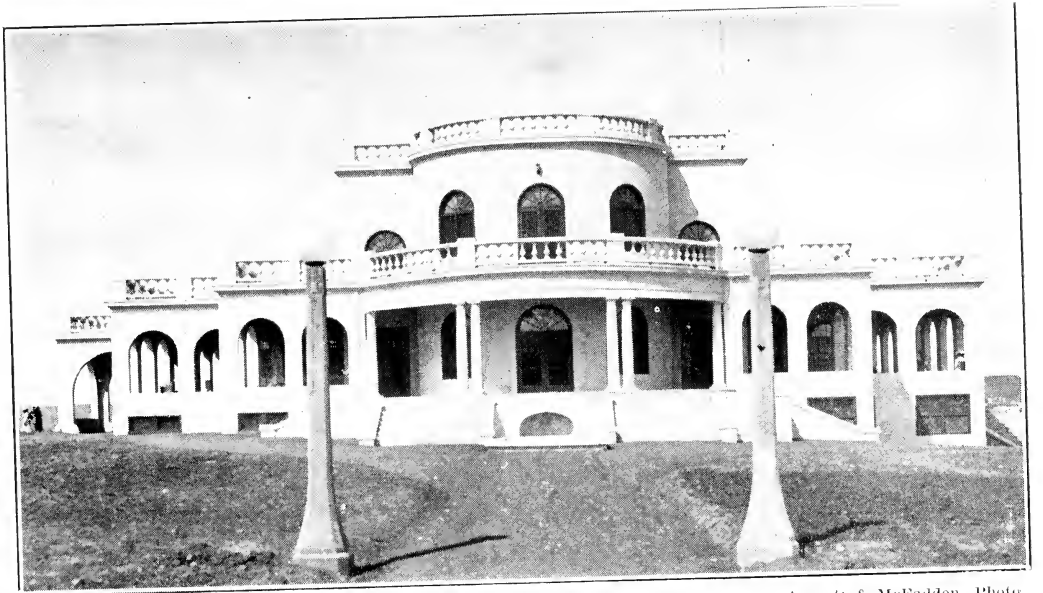
NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CHAMPIONSHIP.

The unexpected certainly happened when noses were counted at the end of the qualifying round for the above championship. H. K. B. Davis, Jr., formerly of Portland, but now of San Francisco, just managed to qualify with an 84. There were many others who had the same score, but the luck of the draw for the last places counted them out. He continued in play throughout the tourney and finally captured the championship by beating Jack Neville of Claremont on the last green.

The second flight was won by Alan McDonald, Jr., while the third flight went to Col. F. E. Day.

WOMEN'S GOLF IN CALIFORNIA.

Miss Edith Chesebrough has been winning championships so consistently in the past five years that nobody was surprised to hear that she had regained the title of California champion from Miss Alice Warner, but the match had to go to the eighteenth green for a decision. There was never more than a hole lead separating the two players, and most of the spectators looked for extra holes to be played, but the Del Monte player dubbed two



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approaches going to the home green. It will be remembered that Miss Warner defeated Miss Chesebrough when they last met for the Del Monte championship in September. These two players tied for the low gross score in the qualifying round on the Ingleside links, and Miss Chesebrough was again successful in the play-off.

The women's southern California championship was played this year on the new links of the Midwick Country Club. Mrs. E. R. Williams, the previous title holder, was pitted against Miss Katherine Mellus in the final round, and won easily by the one-sided score of 6 and 4. Miss Mellus was not playing in her usual good form, while Mrs. Williams, whose reputation as a match player is enhanced in every tournament she enters, was in one of her happiest moods and her medal score in the final was the best ever made by a woman on the links. It is unfortunate that the women of northern California and those of southern California cannot be brought together in the state championship, as the golfing enthusiasts of the Pacific Coast are anxious to see Mrs. Williams pitted against Miss Chesebrough of her sister rivals of the north.

A new name is to be inscribed on the woman's northern California trophy. Mrs. A. R. Pommer of the San Francisco Golf and Country Club is the new title holder, having won her way to the championship by defeating in turn both Miss Alice Warner and Miss Edith Chesebrough on the Presidio links. The Del Monte player, who was the previous champion, carried her successor to the twentieth hole, but, as in the state championship, fell down badly when the break came, as it required three approaches to reach the green. The victory of Mrs. Pommer was a popular one, as she has long been considered a match for any of the players of California. She hits a good tee shot, and her irons are perhaps the best part of her game. She has not been steady on the greens in the past, and her improvement in this department has much to do with her recent success. During the tournament both Mrs. Pommer and Miss Warner covered the course in 79, a new record for women, and only seven strokes above par.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA OPEN.

The open championship of Southern California was a sort of family affair between the Martin brothers, Hutton taking the first prize with 297; Ernest won second money, and Joe the third. These being all the Martins, fourth money went to C. G. Adams. Ervin S. Armstrong made the best score among the amateurs, totaling 308, which was better than many professionals did.

GOLF BOOMING IN PORTLAND, ORE.

The Waverly Club of Oregon used to be the only place where one could chase the elusive pill between Sacramento and Tacoma, but those days have gone, and while yet there is a long way to be made up between these two points, there is the sound of abundance. At any rate, Portland has got a get on, and can boast of three clubs now—the Waverly Country Club, the Tullatin Country Club, and now comes the Portland Golf Club, which is partially the outgrowth of the old Cricket Club. Golf enthusiasm is spreading rapidly in this section of the country and the success of the new club is assured. Its membership numbers 260 and the list will soon be full.

Play at present is confined to a temporary course of nine holes, but the first nine holes of the permanent course, 3,200 yards in length, will be ready for use in the spring of 1915. The club grounds are situated between Firlock and Raleigh on the Oregon Electric and Southern Pacific, respectively, and are easy of access by automobile. The course covers 135 acres of land of an ideal character for golf. The natural advantages are said by many to be superior to any in the Pacific Northwest. A beautiful creek flows through the grounds and the course crosses the same twice in each nine holes, providing a natural hazard testing the nerves and skill of the best golfers. The second nine holes will be completed and ready for play in the fall of 1915 and will make a course of approximately 6,400 yards. The course has been developed under the able direction of William Dickson. The present officers of the club are: H. L. Keats, president; R. H. Baldwin, vice-president; Ira P. E. Reynolds, treasurer, and Harry H. Pearce, secretary.

Golfers' Hotel Directory

City	Hotel	Length of Course		Rates		Open	Greens
		Holes	Yards	Day	Week		
Asheville, N. C.	Grove Park Inn	18	5,492	$1 00 Also $8 per Mo.	$3 00	All year	Turf
Atlantic Beach, Fla.	Continental	9	3,100			Mar.-August	
Augusta, Ga.	Bon Air	18	5,853	1 00	1 00	Dec.-May	Sand
Augusta, Ga.	Hampton Terrace	18	5,900			Jan.-May	Sand
Belleair, Fla.	Belleview	18	5,800	No charge.		Jan.-April	Turf
Bethlehem, N. H.	Sinclair	18	5,783			May-October	Turf
Bretton Woods, N. H.	Mount Pleasant / Mt. Washington	18	6,240	1 00	4 00	July 1-Oct. 30	Turf
Boca Grande, Fla.	Gasparilla Inn	9	2,900			Jan.-April	Grass
Buckwood Inn	Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.	18	6,149				Grass
Buck Hill Falls, Pa.	The Inn	9		75c.	3 00	May-October	Grass
Camden, S. C.	Kirkwood	18	5,910			December	Sand
Crawford Notch, N. H.	Crawford House	9				June-October	Turf
Excelsior Springs, Mo.	The Elms	18	6,320	75c.		April-December	Turf
Greenbrier Co., W. Va.	White Sulphur Springs	9	2,675			All year	
French Lick, Indiana	French Lick Spring Hotel	18	5,900			All year	Turf
Gulfport, Miss.	Great Southern*	9	3,075	No charge		All year	Grass
Hot Springs, Ark.	Park Hotel, Golf and Country Club	18				All year	Sand
Hot Springs, Ark.	Arlington / Eastman / Majestic	18	6,000	Moderate charge		All year	Turf
Hot Springs, Va.	Old Homestead	18	5,100			June to Oct.	
Jefferson, N. H.	The Waumbek	18				May-October	Turf
Lake Champlain, N. Y.	Champlain	18	6,071				Turf
Manchester-in-the-Mount's, Vt.	Equinox House	18	5,927			June to Oct.	Turf
Maplewood, N. H.	Maplewood	18	5,500			January 1	Turf
Miami, Fla.	Royal Palm	9	3,200			June-Oct.	
Mt. Washington, N. H.	Fabyan House	9				January 8	Turf
Nassau, Bahamas	The Colonial	9	2,500			January	
Ormond, Fla.	Hotel Ormond-on-Halifax	18	6,080			January	
Palm Beach, Fla.	Royal Poinciana / The Breakers	18	5,100			January	
Pass Christian, Miss.	Mexican Gulf	9	3,160	1 00	1 00	Jan. to Oct.	Turf
Paso Robles Hot Springs, Cal.	Paso Robles	9	3,340	50c.		All year	Sand
Petersham, Mass.	The Nichewang	9	2,650	50c.	2 00	May-Nov.	Grass

*Guests at hotel may play on Miss. Coast Country Club.

GOLFERS' HOTEL DIRECTORY—Continued.

City	Hotel	Length of Course		Rates		Open	Greens
		Holes	Yards	Day	Week		
Pinehurst, N. C†	Carolina	18	6,013	$1 00	$4 00	Jan. 6-May	Sand
Pinehurst, N. C†	Holly Inn	18	5,797	1 00	4 00	Dec.-May	Sand
Pinehurst, N. C†	Berkshire	18		1 00	4 00	Jan. 15-May	Sand
Pinehurst, N. C†	Harvard					Jan. 15-May	
Port Kent, N. Y	Champlain C. C	18	6,140				Turf
Port Kent, N. Y	Ausable Chasm	Play on	C. C.			May-October	Turf
Rye Beach, N. H	Farragut House	18	6,000			June 1	Turf
Seabreeze, Fla	The Clarendon	9				January 6	
St. Augustine, Fla	Ponce de Leon	9	2,200				
	Hotel Alcazar						
Summerville, S. C	Pine Forest Inn	18	4,687			Dec.-May	Sand
Southern Pines, N. C	Highland Pines Inn		2,800			All year	Sand
Twin Mountain, N. H	Twin Mountain House	9				June-Oct.	Turf
White Sulphur, W. Va	White Sulphur Springs Ho'l.	18	6,000				Turf
Williamstown, Mass	Greylock Hotel					All year	Turf

†Guests at Pinehurst hotels may play on all of the three courses.

U. S. G. A. Tabulated List of Golf Champions

AMATEUR

Year	Place	Date	Winner	Runner-Up
1895	Newport Golf Club, Newport, R. I.	Oct. 1-3	C. B. Macdonald	C. E. Sands
1896	Shinnecock Hills Golf Club, Shinnecock Hills, L. I.	July 14-17	H. J. Whigham	J. C. Thorp
1897	Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.	Sept. 14-18	H. J. Whigham	W. R. Betts
1898	Morris County Country Club, Morristown, N. J.	Sept. 12-17	F. S. Douglas	W. B. Smith
1899	Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill.	July 3-8	H. Harriman	F. S. Douglas
1900	Garden City Golf Club, Garden City, L. I.	July 2-7	W. J. Travis	F. S. Douglas
1901	Country Club of Atlantic City, Atlantic City, N. J.	Sept. 9-14	W. J. Travis	W. Egan
1902	Glen View Club, Golf, Ill.	July 15-19	Louis N. James	E. M. Byers
1903	Nassau Country Club, L. I.	Sept. 1-5	W. J. Travis	E. M. Byers
1904	Baltusrol Golf Club, Springfield, N. J.	Sept. 6-10	H. C. Egan	F. Herreshoff
1905	Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.	Aug. 8-12	H. C. Egan	D. S. Sawyer
1906	Englewood Golf Club, Englewood, N. J.	July 10-14	E. M. Byers	G. S. Lyon
1907	Euclid Club, Cleveland, Ohio	July 9-13	J. D. Travers	Archie Graham
1908	Garden City Golf Club, Garden City, L. I.	Sept. 14-19	J. D. Travers	Max Behr
1909	Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.	Sept. 6-11	Robert Gardner	H. C. Egan
1910	Brookline Country Club, Brookline, Mass.	Sept. 12-17	W. C. Fownes	W. K. Wood
1911	Apawamis Golf Club, Rye, N.Y.	Sept. 11-16	H. H. Hilton	Fred Herreshoff
1912	Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.	Sept. 2-7	J. D. Travers	C. Evans, Jr.
1913	Garden City Golf Club, Garden City, L. I.	Sept. 1-6	J. D. Travers	J. G. Anderson
1914	Ekwanok Country Club, Manchester, Vt.	Sept. 5-11	F. Ouimet	J. D. Travers

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1895	Meadowbrook Country Club, L. I.	Nov. 9	Mrs. C. S. Brown	Medal play
1896	Morris County Golf Club, Morristown, N. J.	Oct. 7-9	Miss Beatrix Hoyt	Mrs. A. Turnure
1897	Essex Country Club, Manchester, Mass.	Aug. 24-26	Miss Beatrix Hoyt	Miss N. C. Sargeant
1898	Ardsley Club, Ardsley-on-the-Hudson, N. Y.	Oct. 11-15	Miss Beatrix Hoyt	Miss Maud Wetmore
1899	Philadelphia Country Club, Bala, Pa.	Oct. 10-14	Miss Ruth Underhill	Mrs. Caleb F. Fox
1900	Shinnecock Hills Golf Club, Shinnecock Hills, L. I.	Aug. 28-Sept. 1	Miss F. C. Griscom	Miss Margaret Curtis
1901	Baltusrol Golf Club, Springfield, N. J.	Oct. 8-12	Miss Genevieve Hecker	Miss Lucy Herron
1902	Brookline Country Club, Brookline, Mass.	Sept. 30-Oct. 4	Miss Genevieve Hecker	Miss L. A. Wells
1903	Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.	Sept. 29-Oct. 3	Miss Bessie Anthony	Miss J. A. Carpenter
1904	Merion Cricket Club, Haverford, Pa.	Oct. 10-15	Miss Georgiana Bishop	Mrs. Sanford
1905	Morris County Golf Club, Morristown, N. J.	Oct. 9-14	Miss Pauline Mackay	Miss Margaret Curtis
1906	Brae Burn Country Club, West Newton, Mass.	Oct. 8-13	Miss H. S. Curtis	Miss Molly Adams
1907	Midlothian Country Club, Blue Island, Ill.	Oct. 7-12	Miss Margaret Curtis	Miss H. S. Curtis
1908	Chevy Chase Golf Club, Washington, D. C.	Oct. 19-24	Miss Kate Harley	Mrs. Polhemus
1909	Merion Cricket Club, Haverford, Pa.	Oct. 4-9	Miss Dorothy Campbell	Mrs. R. H. Barlow
1910	Homewood Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill.	Oct. 10-15	Miss Dorothy Campbell	Mrs. Martin
1911	Essex Country Club, Manchester, Mass.	Oct. 11-14	Miss Margaret Curtis	Miss Dorothy Campbell
1912	Essex Country Club, Manchester, Mass.	Sept. 30-Oct. 5	Miss Margaret Curtis	Mrs. R. H. Barlow
1913	Wilmington Country Club, Wilmington, Del.	Oct. 13-19	Miss Ravenscroft	Miss Hollins
1914	Nassau Country Club, Glen Cove, L. I., N. Y.	Sept. 19-24	Mrs. H. A. Jackson	Miss E. V. Rosenthal

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Year	Place	Date	Winner	Score	Runner-Up
1895	Newport (R. I.) Golf Club	Oct. 4	Horace Rawlins	173	Willie Dunn
1896	Shinnecock Hills (L. I.) Golf Club	July 18	James Foulis	152	Horace Rawlins
1897	Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill	Sept. 17	Joe Lloyd	162	W. Anderson
1898	Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass	June 17, 18	Fred Herd	328	Alec Smith
1899	Baltimore (Md.) Country Club	Sept. 14, 15	Willie Smith	315	Low, Way and Fitzjohn tied
1900	Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill	Oct. 4, 5	Harry Vardon	313	J. H. Taylor
1901	Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass	June 14, 15	W. Anderson	331	Alec Smith
1902	Garden City (L. I.) Golf Club	Oct. 10, 11	L. Auchterlonie	307	S. Gardner and W. J. Travis tied
1903	Baltusrol Golf Club, Springfield, N. J	June 26, 27	W. Anderson	307	David Brown
1904	Glen View Club, Golf, Ill	July 8, 9	W. Anderson	303	Gilbert Nicholls
1905	Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass	Sept. 21, 22	W. Anderson	314	Alec Smith
1906	Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill	June 28, 29	Alec Smith	295	Willie Smith
1907	Philadelphia (Pa.) Cricket Club	June 20, 21	Alec Ross	302	Gilbert Nicholls
1908	Myopia Hunt Club, Hamilton, Mass	Aug. 27, 28	Fred McLeod	322	Willie Smith
1909	Englewood (N. J.) Golf Club	June 24, 25	George Sargent	290	Tom McNamara [Smith, tied
1910	Philadelphia, (Pa.) Cricket Club	June 17, 18	Alec Smith	298	J. J. McDermott, and Macdonald
1911	Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill	June 24, 25	J. J. McDermott	307	M. J. Brady and Geo. Simpson tied
1912	Buffalo Country Club, Buffalo	Aug. 1, 2	J. J. McDermott	294	Tom McNamara
1913	Country Club, Brookline, Mass	Sept. 17-18	F. Ouimet	304	H. Vardon, after tie.
1914	Midlothian Country Club, Blue Island, Ill.	Aug. 18-21	W. Hagen	290	C. Evans, Jr.

Intercollegiate Champions

Year	Name	College	Where Played	Year	Name	College	Where Played
1897	L. P. Bayard, Jr.	Princeton	Ardsley	1906	W. E. Clow, Jr.	Harvard	Garden City
1898	Spring, J. F. Curtis.	Harvard	Ardsley	1907	Ellis Knowles	Yale	Nassau
	Fall, J. Reid, Jr.	Yale	Ardsley	1908	H. H. Wilder	Harvard	Brae Burn
1899	P. Pyne, 2d	Princeton	Garden City	1909	A. Seckel	Princeton	Apawamis
1900	No tournament.			1910	R. Hunter	Yale	Manchester
1901	H. Lindsley	Harvard	Atlantic City	1911	G. C. Stanley	Yale	Baltusrol
1902	C. Hitchcock, Jr.	Yale	Garden City	1912	F. C. Davidson	Harvard	Ekwanok
1903	Frank Reinhart	Princeton	Garden City	1913	N. Wheeler	Yale	Hunt'gd'n Val.
1904	A. G. White	Harvard	Myopia	1914	E. P. Allis, 3d	Harvard	Garden City
1905	Robert Abbott	Yale	Garden City				

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Year	Place	Date	Winner	Runner-Up
1899	Glen View Club, Golf, Ill.	Sept. 6-9	D. R. Forgan	W. E. Egan
1900	Onwentsia Club, Lake Forest, Ill.	Sept. 25-29	W. Waller	W. Holabird, Jr.
1901	Midlothian Country Club, Blue Island, Ill.	Oct. 20-24	P. B. Hoyt	Bruce D. Smith
1902	Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.	Sept. 9-13	H. C. Egan	W. E. Egan.
1903	Euclid Club, Cleveland, O.	Aug. 3-8	W. E. Egan	H. C. Egan
1904	Exmoor Country Club, Highland Park, Ill.	Aug. 15-20	H. C. Egan	D. E. Sawyer
1905	Glen View Club, Golf, Ill.	July 25-29	H. C. Egan	W. E. Egan
1906	Glen Echo Country Club, St. Louis, Mo.	Sept. 4-8	D. E. Sawyer	W. K. Wood
1907	Chicago Golf Club, Wheaton, Ill.	Aug. 6-10	H. C. Egan	H. Jones
1908	Rock Island (Ill.) Golf Club	July 13-18	Mason Phelps	H. Allen
1909	Homewood Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill.	July 26-31	C. Evans, Jr	Albert Seckel
1910	Minikahda Club, Minneapolis, Minn.	Aug. 25-30	M. Phelps	C. Evans, Jr.
1911	Detroit Golf Club, Detroit, Mich.	July 22-29	Albert Seckel	R. A. Gardner
1912	Denver Country Club, Denver, Colo.	July 15-20	C. Evans, Jr.	W. K. Wood
1913	Homewood Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill.	July 21-26	W. K. Wood	E. P. Allis, 3d
1914	Kent Country Club, Grand Rapids, Mich.	July 27-Aug. 1	C. Evans, Jr.	J. Standish

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Year	Place	Date	Winner	Score	Runner-Up
1899	Glen View Club, Golf, Ill.	.....	W. Smith	.....	Lawrence Auchterlonie
1900	No championship held.				
1901	Midlothian Country Club, Blue Isl., Ill.	.....	L. Auchterlonie	160	David Bell
1902	Euclid Club, Cleveland, O.	Sept. 16, 17	W. Anderson	299	W. Smith and W. H. Way tied
1903	Milwaukee (Wis.) Country Club	July 16, 17	Alec Smith	318	L. Auchterlonie and D. Brown tied
1904	Kent Country Club, Gd. Rapids, Mich.	June 30, July 2	W. Anderson	304	Alec Smith
1905	Cincinnati (O.) Golf Club	June 29, 30	Arthur Smith	278	James Maiden
1906	Homewood Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill.	June 20-22	Alec Smith	306	John Hobens
1907	Hinsdale (Ill.) Golf Club	June 27, 28	R. Simpson	307	W. Anderson and F. McLeod tied
1908	Normandie Golf Club, St. Louis, Mo.	June 18, 19	W. Anderson	299	Fred McLeod
1909	Skokie Country Club, Glencoe, Ill.	Sept. 16, 17	W. Anderson	288	Stewart Gardner
1910	Beverly C. C., Beverly Hills, Ill.	Aug. 31-Sep. 2	* C. Evans, Match Play		George Simpson
1911	Kent Co. Club, Grand Rapids, Mich	June 27, 28	R. Simpson, Match Play		Tom McNamara
1912	Idlewild Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill.	Aug. 28, 29	M. Smith	299	A. Robertson
1913	Memphis Country Club, Buntyn, Tenn.	Oct. 16, 17	J. J. McDermott	295	M. Brady
1914	Interlachen Country Club, Minneapolis	Aug. 25, 26	J. Barnes	293	W. Kidd

* Amateur

Golf in Canada

In the early part of the season of 1914 there was quite as much, if not more, golf played than in former years, but toward the latter part of the season the war which broke out, and in which Great Britain became involved, caused a cessation to a great extent owing to the fact that many golfers joined the different contingents that were going to the aid of the mother country, and this had the effect of the executives of the Royal Canadian Golf Association calling off the Ladies' Championship, which was to have been played on the course of the Lambton Golf and Country Club at Lambton Mills, Toronto. The amateur men's championship was played during the first week of July over the fine course of the Royal Ottawa Golf Club. The executives of the club left nothing undone that could add to the pleasure and comfort of the players. The course itself was in excellent condition and there were many closely fought matches before a winner was declared. Probably a great deal more interest was taken in the event because of the international flavor caused by the entry of some prominent American golfers and the fact that one of our American cousins reached the finals. This was Bryce Evans of the Belmont Golf Club of Boston. He had some hard matches before reaching the finals. In the first round he had to play two extra holes to defeat C. B. Grier of Royal Montreal and had to go a similar distance before defeating R. M. Gray, Jr., of Rosedale Golf Association, and in the semi-finals, which were at thirty-six holes, he had to play to the thirty-eighth hole to defeat T. B. Reith of Beaconsfield Golf Club of Montreal. Harold Weber of Toledo was unfortunate in drawing Reith in the first round, as the Beaconsfield player was putting up a strong game and put Weber out in the first round, but not without a hard struggle, as he only won on the twentieth hole, or two extra. Most of those who were considered as having a good chance to win won their matches in the early stages of the draw. Martin of Hamilton, Lyon of Lambton, Lees of Ottawa, J. A. Gray of Rivermede, Morgan of Beaconsfield, Scott of Ottawa and R. M. Gray, Jr., of Rosedale all won their preliminary matches rather handily. In the first round there was somewhat of a surprise in Fraser of Ottawa defeating Turpin, the then Canadian champion, by 3 and 1; however, Fraser, when on his best game, is liable to beat any of the top-notchers. Another very close match was that between Adams of Hamilton and Stewart Macdougall of Montreal, the latter winning by 1 up. In the second round Macdougall again had a close shave, defeating J. A. Gray of Rivermede, Ottawa, by just 1 up. This second round brought together two of the local clubs' best players in Gerald Lees and Norman Scott, the former winning by 1 up, thus eliminating one of Ottawa's hopes. Other players to win their matches with good margins in this round were Martin, Lyon, Reith, Fraser and Glassco. In the third round some close matches were expected, but, though many of the best players came together, those who won did so by good margins. Martin defeated Fraser, 5 and 4; Lyon defeated S. Macdougall, 6 and 5; Reith defeated Lees, 6 and 5; Evans defeated Glassco, 5 and 4. This brought together Lyon of Lambton and Martin of Hamilton and Evans of Boston and Reith of Beaconsfield in the semi-finals, these matches being played at thirty-six holes as well as the finals. Lyon and Martin had a close match in the morning round, the Hamilton player being 1 up on the first round, but in the afternoon Lyon, playing one of his best games, pulled ahead and finished 4 and 3 and won the right to contest the final with Evans, who, as stated in the first part of this article, defeated Reith on the thirty-eighth green.

The final started by Evans winning the first hole a par 5 in 4 and assuming the lead right at the start, but Lyon won the second in a par 3 and then playing par golf soon took the lead and maintained it throughout the entire match, finishing up the morning round with a lead of 5 up, and in the afternoon still continued to forge ahead and, giving his opponent no chance whatever to win a hole finally won the championship for the eighth

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time by 8 and 7. Lyon never played better golf than on this occasion, as his scores over the long Ottawa golf course testify. The course is 6,400 yards, and he had a morning round of 75 and an average of fours up to the eleventh hole in the afternoon, where the match finished.

The interprovincial match which is always played during championship week between the provinces of Ontario and Quebec resulted in a tie, each province winning five matches, as follows:

ONTARIO.		QUEBEC.	
George S. Lyon	1	G. H. Turpin	0
F. R. Martin	0	T. B. Reith	1
Dey Laird	0	C. B. Grier	1
A. A. Adams	0	G. Lees	1
W. M. Griffith	1	W. Monk	0
R. M. Gray, Jr.	0	Jno. Morgan	1
R. B. White	1	G. M. Spraggin	0
W. S. Greening	1	Hy-Anderson	0
J. Sale, Jr.	0	J. A. Fraser	1
H. J. Martin	1	J. Cowie	0
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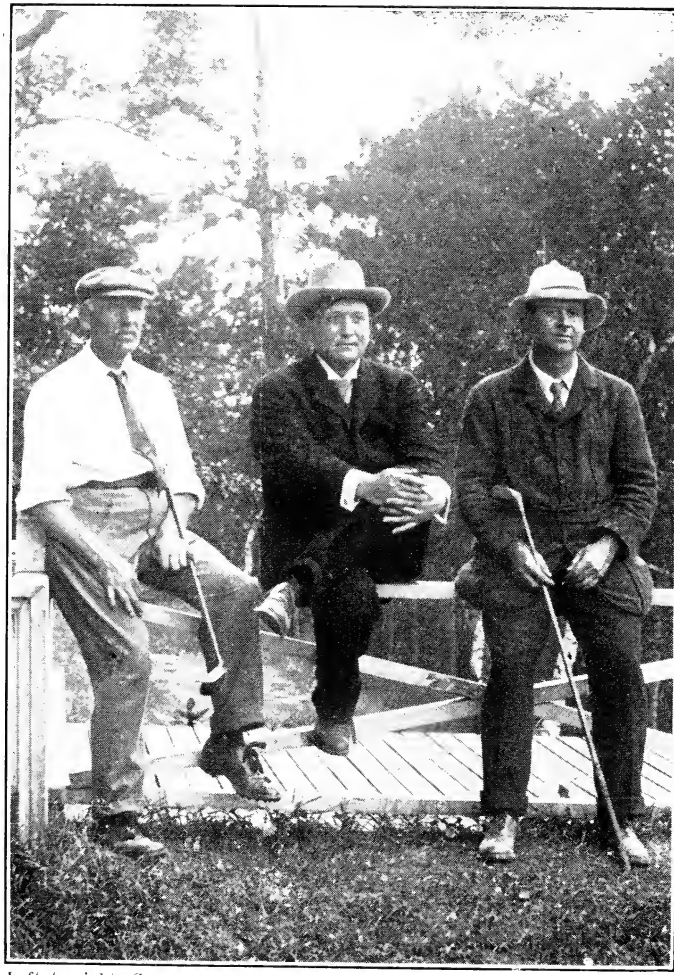
The team championship of Canada was also played during championship week and was won by the Royal Ottawa Golf Club, whose four players returned the lowest gross scores for one round of the course as follows:

Royal Ottawa Golf Club	336
Beaconsfield Golf Club, Montreal	347
Lambton Golf and Country Club, Toronto	355
Rosedale Golf Club, Toronto	358
Royal Montreal Country Club, Montreal	360

The next meeting of the Royal Canadian Golf Association to decide the amateur championship of 1915 will be held over the fine course of the Lambton Golf and Country Club at Lambton Mills, just seven miles west of Toronto. The clubhouse is a large one and has good accommodation in every respect. There are about fifty bedrooms in the clubhouse. The course is one of standard length, being about 6,300 yards long. It is well bunkered and there are eight water hazards. Topped drives and pulled and sliced shots are pretty severely penalized. The Canadian championship is now practically open to all amateurs, as any player in good standing with the association to which he belongs can get an invitation by applying to the Royal Canadian Golf Association, whose present headquarters are at Toronto.

OPEN CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP.

The open championship was played over the Toronto Golf Club course at Long Branch, about eleven miles west of Toronto. There was a large number of entries and all of the best Canadian professionals were present. There were a few outside entries, and a few amateur players also entered. Of these George S. Lyon made the best showing, taking ninth place, while W. M. Griffith was the next best amateur, taking fifteenth place. The course is well bunkered and affords a good test of golf and besides is a long one, being 6,400 yards long. It was laid out by H. S. Colt, the English golf architect, and Harry Vardon is reported as having said it was one of the best he had played over when out here a year ago with Edward Ray. The winner proved to be Karl Keffer of the Royal Ottawa Golf Club, who had a total of 300 for the four rounds, or an average of 75 per round, which was certainly very good when you consider that the lies on some of the holes were not as good as they might have been, owing to the grass not having taken well in some places and seeming to have a tendency to grow in tufts. Keffer's first round on the second day, a 72, was the best of the tournament, while on the first day's play C. R. Murray of Royal Montreal got a 73. George Cumming of the Toronto Golf Club was a close second, only being one stroke behind the winner. Next in order came David Black



Left to right—George S. Lyon, seven times amateur champion of Canada; W. R. Smyth; Fritz R. Martin.

A CANADIAN GROUP.

of Rivermede, Ottawa, with 308, followed by Nichol Thompson of Hamilton, who was just one stroke behind him with 309. The following are the leading scores out of about forty entries:

		Rounds 1	2	3	4	Total
1.	Karl Keffer, Royal Ottawa	75	75	72	78	300
2.	Geo. Cumming, Toronto G. C.	76	77	74	74	301
3.	David Black, Rivermede	76	80	75	77	308
4.	Nichol Thompson, Hamilton G. C.	78	75	76	80	309
5.	C. R. Murray, Royal Montreal	73	78	78	83	312
6.	A. Woodward, Ramlagh	80	81	80	74	315
7.	P. Barrett, Lambton	83	77	80	77	317
8.	Mr. Geo. S. Lyon, Lambton	78	80	81	81	320
9.	K. Marsh, Toronto G. C.	78	78	81	84	321
10.	A. Murray, Kanawaka, Montreal	76	84	78	84	322
11.	H. Fletcher, Winnipeg	82	77	81	85	325
12.	J. Newman, Perth	81	83	78	83	325
13.	A. Russell, Lakeview	84	81	81	82	327
14.	Mr. W. M. Griffith, Lambton	83	80	86	81	330
15.	H. W. Eve, London Hunt					332
16.	F. Freeman, Rosedale					333
17.	W. Bell, Scarboro					333
18.	A. Desjardines, Broadview					334
19.	W. Freeman, Muskoka					336
20.	J. C. Blair, Boston, Mass., U. S. A.					338
21.	J. Black, Beaconsfield					338
22.	F. W. Lock, Mississauga					338

A new association was formed in Toronto last season known as the City and District Golf Association. It was started with the object of declaring both an amateur and professional champion of the city. The first competition was held over the Rosedale Golf Association course, which was in excellent condition. The professionals played on Friday, June 19, and the amateurs on Saturday, the 20th. All of the professionals belonging to the city clubs entered and, though the day was a wet one, some good scores were returned. The winner was Percy Barrett of Lambton, who had two good rounds of 74, 76—150. He was closely followed by George Cumming of Toronto Golf Club with 78, 77—155. Other scores to get in the prize money were William Bell of Scarboro Golf and Country Club, 80, 76—156; A. Russell, Lakeview Golf and Country Club, 79, 80—159; D. Spittal, Lambton Golf and Country Club, 84, 80—164, and F. W. Lock, Mississauga Golf and Country Club, 81, 85—165.

The amateurs had a lovely day for their play, the rain of the day before putting the course in the best possible condition. Two rounds of the course were played at medal play, the player returning the two best gross scores to be the champion for the season. G. S. Lyon of Lambton turned in 80, 74—154 and thus became the first champion of the association. He was closely pressed by F. R. Martin of Toronto Golf Club, who returned 80, 75—155. The best gross score for a single round was won by R. M. Gray, Jr., of Rosedale with a 74. The team championship went to the Toronto Golf Club, their four previously named players returning the best gross scores. The handicap prizes went to the following players in the order named: C. L. Lennox, Lambton; Seymour Lyon, Lambton, and W. H. Fredricks, Rosedale. No player was allowed to take more than one prize.

The following are a few of the best gross scores for each round:

Geo. S. Lyon, Lambton	80	74—154
F. R. Martin, Toronto	80	75—155
R. B. White, Rosedale	79	81—160
B. L. Anderson, Lambton	80	83—163
R. M. Gray, Jr., Rosedale	92	74—166
Glen Moss, Toronto	89	77—166
W. M. Griffith, Lambton	80	87—167
J. Sale, Jr., Rosedale	89	80—169
W. S. Greening, Lambton	80	89—169
H. M. Fredricks, Rosedale	83	86—169

The handicap winners with their scores for two rounds were as follows:

C. T. Lennox, Lambton	174—32,	142
Seymour Lyon, Lambton	173—26,	147
H. M. Fredricks, Rosedale	169—22,	147
B. L. Anderson, Lambton	163—16,	147

In the play-off for second and third places Lyon and Fredricks won.

The team match was won by the Toronto Golf Club, with Rosedale Golf Club team second and Lambton Golf and Country Club third. The winning team and scores follow:

TORONTO TEAM.

F. R. Martin	80	75—	155
W. G. More	86	85—	171
G. F. Moss	86	77—	163
R. C. H. Cassels	86	87—	173
Total			662

Two of the principal club events at the Lambton Golf and Country Club are the championship and the Austin Trophy. The former, of course, is played even, while the latter is a handicap event. The championship was won by A. F. Rodger, who played good, steady, consistent golf in all of his matches. In the first round he and his opponent, Wilfred James, created a record of the course in the number of holes played before the champion won. They finished the eighteen holes all even and the match was carried to the twenty-sixth hole before James was defeated. The Austin Trophy was won by George S. Lyon from scratch. The runner-up was F. W. Tanner.

At the Toronto Golf Club the Osler Trophy, a handicap event, was won by W. S. Greening with a handicap of eight strokes.

The Rosedale Golf Club championship was won by John Miln, Jr., the runner-up being Loone Flaws. The Edinborough Trophy, a handicap event, was won by R. B. White, who played R. M. Gray, Jr., in the final. The Rennie Trophy at the same club, another handicap event, was won by Stan Beatty, who defeated Percy Beachley in the final.

The tournament for the Ontario championship for ladies was, as usual, played over the Hamilton Golf Club course. There was a very large entry and many well contested matches were played. The event was again won by Miss Florence Harvey, who has developed a very strong game within the past couple of years. The men's club championship resulted in a win for A. A. Adams, who defeated Fritz R. Martin in an extra hole match. The coming season will be the last one for the old Hamilton Golf Club course, as the club will move into its new quarters about September 1. The new course is situated at Ancaster, about seven miles west of Hamilton on the main line of the Hamilton and Brantford Electric Railway and can be reached in twenty-two minutes from the center of the city. It seems to be a custom in writing about new golf courses to laud them up to the skies, but the writer who has seen many of the best, both at home and abroad, can say without fear of contradiction that this new course is without doubt one of the best on this continent. The soil is sandy and the course abounds in natural hazards, to which are added several artificial, and the land is rolling and well adapted to golf. For the present the old Stone farm house on the property will be utilized as a clubhouse pending the building of a modern structure in the near future.

Down at Montreal the principal event of the season was the playing of the City and District Championship. Play took place over the course of the Royal Montreal Golf Club. There were many entries, but the play, which was at medal scoring, resolved itself into a contest between two players, T. B. Reith of Beaconsfield Golf and Country Club and C. B. Grier of Royal Montreal. In the morning round the Montreal player led by two strokes, returning a 76 as against 78. The afternoon round, however, of the Beaconsfield player was so good that he not only overcame the lead of two strokes held by Grier, but he gained an extra stroke and won the championship by that extra stroke. His "Reith's" 75 was practically par golf. Grier had a putt of only two yards to create a tie, but he failed to run the putt down and lost his chance for a play-off. The handicap prize was won by C. M.

McCraig of Beaconsfield after a play-off with A. M. Slater. The third prize went to John Morgan of Beaconsfield. The prize for the best single round of the course was won by T. B. Reith with a 75, but as he was only allowed to take one prize it went to the next best, so C. B. Grier's 76 entitled him to it. The leading scores and team championship results are as follows:

CHAMPIONSHIP.

T. B. Reith:	First Round.									
Out	5	6	3	5	4	4	5	2	4—38	
In	4	5	5	4	5	3	4	6	4—40—78	
T. B. Reith:	Second Round.									
Out	4	6	3	6	4	3	4	3	5—38	
In	5	3	4	4	5	3	4	5	4—37—75—153	
C. B. Grier:	First Round.									
Out	5	4	3	6	3	4	5	4	4—38	
In	4	5	4	4	5	3	3	5	5—38—76	
C. B. Grier:	Second Round.									
Out	5	6	4	4	4	4	6	3	3—39	
In	5	4	5	5	4	3	4	4	5—39—78—154	

The team championship went to the four best gross scores of four previously named players from each club and resulted in a rather easy win for the Royal Montreal Club, as follows:

FIRST.

Jas. Hill	83	86—169
C. H. Turpin	82	83—165
C. B. Grier	76	78—154
A. Wilson	82	82—164
Total		652

SECOND.

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T. B. Reith	78	75—153
Jno. Morgan	83	81—164
S. Macdougall	87	92—179
A. Morris	94	86—180
Total		676

Kanawaki Golf Club was a poor third.

On Friday, June 19, the day previous to the amateur event, the professionals belonging to clubs of the City and District Association played thirty-six holes over the Royal Montreal course for cash prizes given by the association. The result was a win for C. R. Murray of the Royal Montreal Golf Club, who played two good rounds of 74, 76—150. He was closely followed by his brother Albert of the Kanawaki Golf Club with 79, 73—152. A. Woodward of the Country Club was third with 156, followed by James Black of Beaconsfield Golf and Country Club. Prizes were also given for professional assistants and were won as follows:

A. Desjardines, R. M. G. C.	83	82—165
F. Sinclair, B. G. C.	84	89—173
W. Woodward C. C.	89	86—175
T. Blair, B. G. and C. C.	88	89—177

The Ladies' Championship was won by Miss V. Henry-Anderson, Royal Montreal Golf Club, with Mrs. Hathaway of Country Club runner-up. The handicap went to Mrs. Arthur Gault, Royal Montreal Golf Club, second place going to Miss D. Patterson, Beaconsfield Golf Club.

The team championship was won by the Royal Montreal ladies' team, with Beaconsfield a good second and Kanawaki third.

In the annual championship for the province of Saskatoon, Canada, G. F. Donaldson of Regina was the winner, with W. Laidlaw, Saskatoon, the runner-up, the match being decided on the thirty-sixth green. Mrs. Walter Perry, Regina, won easily over Mrs. Boyd, Saskatoon, in the final of the ladies' championship.

British Amateur Championship

The St. George's course for the sixth time was the scene of the historic struggle for supremacy in the golfing world during May of last year.

The entry list was the largest yet, the nominations totaling 232. America sent its largest representation, and, it can truthfully be said, its best—Jerome D. Travers, Fred Herreshoff, Francis Ouimet, "Chick" Evans, Fraser Hale, Harold Weber, A. C. Lockwood, Henry J. Topping, C. W. Inslee, E. S. Knapp being those bearing the colors of Uncle Sam.

Probably never in the history of the game was greater enthusiasm manifested on both sides of the Atlantic in the outcome of any other championship as in this one, for the stripling who had conquered both Vardon and Ray, and the whole field of American professionals, was to compete.

Of course, few of the American pro's conceded him a chance, or any of the others for that matter, but if the sentiment expressed in newspapers and letters was any criterion, he had our British brethren worried not a little. To those who follow the game more closely, and to whom the idiosyncrasies of each player are more or less known the result was never in doubt, and their prognostications were fully borne out by results.

It will be many years before any association in the world with only two scratch men representing it will be able to wrest the coveted blue ribbon from a country where the scratch men are about as plentiful as blades of grass. Of course it is not impossible, but we believe very improbable. The results of the play from day to day are as follows:

First Round—Hon. E. R. Thesiger, Acton, d. H. J. Carver, Coombe Hill, 1 up; H. H. Hilton, Royal Liverpool, d. H. L. Boyd, Royal and Ancient, 8 and 7; E. W. Chrystal, Ramsey, d. J. G. McCutcheon, Glasgow, 3 and 2; R. Harris, Harewood Downs, d. A. C. M. Croome, Royal North Devon, 7 and 5; R. E. Walker, Rye, d. E. N. Layton, Royal Cinque Ports, 1 up; F. S. Bond, Hindhead, d. J. H. Orr, Falkirk Tryst, 1 up; S. H. Fry, Royal North Devon, d. C. Leese, Woking, 4 and 2; E. Blackwell, Royal and Ancient, d. P. C. Thornton, Burnham and Berrow, 5 and 4; P. Carr, Royal Wimbledon, d. E. A. Tooth, Berkhamsted, 2 up; Hon. D. Scott, Royal North Devon, d. D. Brown, Royal Liverpool, 3 and 2; C. O. Hezlet, Royal Portrush, d. Capt. H. F. L. Nichols, Royal Liverpool, 4 and 2; E. F. Boothby, Bleakdown, w.o., C. W. Limouzin, Wallasey, scratched; H. B. Barker, Olton, d. H. Terry, Australian, 6 and 5; S. Mure Fergusson, Royal St. George's, d. G. R. Girdlestone, Oswestry, 3 and 2; L. M. Balfour Melville, Royal and Ancient, d. M. H. Toller, East Brighton, 3 and 2; E. L. Apperley, Australian, d. H. M. Weaver, Northwood, 3 and 2; H. M. Hepworth, Headingley, d. G. G. Bennett, Edgware, 2 and 1; Capt. H. Hinde, Royal North Devon, d. Capt. R. Haigh, Royal and Ancient, 1 up; R. T. Thomson, Richmond, d. H. W. Cummins, Dinsdale Spa, at the 19th hole; Capt. H. A. Boyd, Portmarnock, d. B. Schofield, West Herts, 5 and 4; A. Macbeth, Lille, France, w.o., R. K. Winter, Scottish Universities, scratched; J. S. Worthington, Mid-Surrey, d. I. H. McGregor, Edinburgh Burgess, 4 and 3; F. C. Carr, Handsworth, d. F. J. Pettyfer, West Hove, 6 and 5; C. A. Palmer, Handsworth, d. J. D. Travers, Upper Montclair, U. S. A., 2 up; J. M. Thomson, Northwood, d. M. Spencer, Kingsgate, 5 and 4; H. L. Doherty, Royal St. George's, w.o., G. MacLaren, Alexandria Sporting Club, scratched; T. H. P. Kolesar, Sandy Lodge, d. F. E. Cuming, Romford, 7 and 6; E. W. Holderness, Denham, d. H. J. Topping, Greenwich Country Club, U. S. A., 1 up; E. F. J. Mills, Royal St. George's, w.o., C. T. Bell, Royal North Devon, scratched; Hon. F. S. Jackson, Denham, d. J. E. Hassell, Bromborough, at the 19th hole; G. Elliot, Royal Cinque Ports, w.o., E. G. Waterer, Camberley Heath, scratched; G. Renwick, Penarth, d. J. S. Kennedy, Pollock; A. V. Hambro, Royal St. George's, d. K. F. Fradgley, Warren, 1 up; A. C. Chadwick, Dewsbury and District, d. E. S. Knapp, Westbrook, U. S. A., 5 and 4; P. S. May, Royal Cinque Ports, w.o., H. W. Forster, Royal and Ancient, scratched; A. H. Read, Royal St. George's, d. E. A. Lassen, Lytham and St. Annes, 4 and 2; Hon. A. E. Mulholland, Old Fold Manor, d. J. R. H. Anderson, Prestwick, 5 and 3; H. C. Hull, Brent Valley, d. J. F. le Blan, Lille, France, 1 up; V. A. Pollock, Royal St. George's, d. C. Flower, Royal North Devon, 6 and 5; J. C. Parsons, Wimbledon Park, d. J. Williamson, Richmond, 4 and 3; C. B. Macfarlane, Bushey Hall, d. C. R. Minchin, Chertsey, at the 19th hole; F. V. Radcliffe, Hayling, d. O. C. Bevan, Royal St. George's, 4 and 3; J. J. Murray, Romford, d. C. W. Inslee, Oneida Community,

U. S. A., 2 up; W. A. Murray, Romford, d. G. A. Harrison, Prince's, Sandwich, 8 and 7; F. H. Mitchell, Woking, d. M. Copland, Rye, at the 19th hole; E. H. W. Scott, Parklangley, d. Hon. O. Scott, Royal St. George's, 5 and 4; C. Bretherton, Handsworth, d. D. A. M. Brown, Royal Isle of Wight, 7 and 5; C. Evans, Jr., Edgewater, U. S. A., d. W. M. Cranston, Walton Heath, 5 and 4; I. Whitton, Metropolitan, Melbourne, d. D. D. Stewart, Croham Hurst, 7 and 5; F. Hale, Edgewater, U. S. A., d. W. K. Whigham, Royal St. George's, 5 and 3; C. G. Hill, Royal Wimbledon, d. W. B. Hunter, Prestwick, 4 and 2; G. Lockhart, Prestwick St. Nicholas, d. F. Castle, Fulwell, 2 and 1; G. C. Manford, Edinburgh University, d. G. H. Hutchison, Glasgow, 3 and 2; P. R. Harrop, Porter's Park, d. D. F. Ranson, Crowborough Beacon, 3 and 1; E. Martin-Smith, Royal St. George's, d. D. S. Crowther, Coombe Hill, 7 and 6; W. A. Sievwright, Scottish Universities, w.o., G. Farrar, Coombe Hill, scratched; F. M. Ronaldson, Hon. Company, d. F. E. Corser, Church Stretton, 4 and 3; F. W. H. Weaver, Royal Liverpool, d. B. Smith, Surbiton, 4 and 3; H. D. Gillies, Woking, d. C. F. Yeomans, Royal North Devon, 8 and 7; B. Darwin, Woking, d. H. B. Rowley, Chester, 1 up; J. Graham, Jr., Royal Liverpool, d. W. B. Charles, Royal Liverpool, 5 and 4; H. E. Taylor, Mid-Surrey, d. Capt. S. Farquhar, Tantallon, 4 and 2; S. G. James, Douglas, d. Hon. B. D. Butler, Royal Ashdown Forest, 6 and 5; D. M. Smith, Sandy Lodge, d. H. B. Clark, Burgh, 1 up; H. C. Ellis, Royal and Ancient, d. J. E. Hawkins, Nairn, 6 and 5. T. B. C. Pigott, Royal Eastbourne, d. A. J. Mitchell, Northwood, 4 and 3; A. S. Reed, Royal St. George's, d. G. A. Williamson, Porter's Park, 3 and 1; F. Worth, Royal Cinque Ports, d. Lord St. Vincent, York, 5 and 4; H. S. B. Tubbs, Littlestone, d. D. Grant, Richmond, at the 19th hole; F. Ouimet, Woodland, U. S. A., d. J. C. MacGregor, Manila, 7 and 6; R. H. Howie, Muswell Hill, d. N. R. Fergusson, Royal St. George's, 4 and 3; H. Stevens, Thames Ditton, d. E. Andersson, Gothenberg, 1 up; Hon. M. Scott, Royal St. George's, d. G. C. Yerburgh, Prince's, Sandwich, 7 and 6; G. L. Brunton, York, d. D. C. Leng, Hallamshire, 3 and 1; J. R. Platt, Royal North Devon, d. A. G. Pearson, Mid-Surrey, 5 and 3; F. Herreshoff, Ekwanok Country, U. S. A., d. M. St. John, Northumberland, 4 and 3; Hon. R. G. Murray, Sandy Lodge, d. H. E. C. Tippet, Royal North Devon, at the 19th hole; W. C. Sutton, Leasowe, w.o., J. G. Elger, Royal North Devon, scratched; G. L. Mellin, Parklangley, d. F. Fairbank, Lytham and St. Annes, 5 and 3; E. W. Howe, Burnham and Berrow, d. W. H. Lamplough, Hayling, 8 and 7; "O. L. Smith," Royal Dublin, d. Norman Cockell, Prince's, 3 and 2; J. L. C. Jenkins, Troon, d. H. Castle, Fulwell, 6 and 5; O. Martin-Smith, Royal St. George's, d. C. M. A. Samuda, Burnham and Berrow, 2 up; G. V. Stavert, Kendal, d. L. B. Smith, Wakefield, 2 and 1; J. Ball, Royal Liverpool, d. J. S. Macdonell, Royal Aberdeen, 1 up; J. M. Wood, Mid-Surrey, d. H. B. Croft, Ashford Manor, 6 and 5; Capt. H. E. Hambro, Royal St. George's, w.o., J. C. Craigie, Stoke Poges, scratched; M. R. Philipson, Northumberland, d. G. W. Deakin, Holyhead, 3 and 1; H. M. Cairnes, Portmarnock, d. A. Mann, Panmore, 1 up; Capt. C. K. Hutchison, Royal St. George's, d. A. S. Mays-Smith, Surbiton, 2 and 1; J. B. Pease, Almouth, d. W. E. Fairlie, Royal and Ancient, at the 20th hole; C. C. Aylmer, West Surrey, d. Lord C. Hope, Royal St. George's, 2 and 1; C. Turnbull, Penarth, d. W. H. Fowler, Royal St. George's, 5 and 3; A. S. Marriott, Seaford, w.o., J. M. Smith, Royal St. George's, scratched; H. Weber, Toledo, U. S. A., d. J. R. Remer, Birkdale, 1 up; R. M. Carlisle, Sunningdale, d. A. N. R. Jaeger, Royal Liverpool, 2 and 1; T. Stevenson, Brumtsfield Links, d. T. B. Farrington, Chevin, 3 and 2; Viscount Maidstone, Royal St. George's, d. C. C. Chisholm, Insurance and Banking, 1 up; H. le F. Shepherd, Henley, d. H. H. Spencer, Bradford, 1 up; J. H. Beavis, Minchinhampton, d. Col. B. C. Quill, Tralee, 3 and 1; C. H. Alison, Stoke Poges, d. D. S. Froy, Bushey Hall, 5 and 4; W. S. Lurcott, East Brighton, d. E. Scratton, Royal North Devon, 1 up; N. F. Hunter, Sunningdale, d. S. Brown, Royal North Devon, at the 20th hole; J. C. Nunneley, St. Augustine's, w.o., G. L. Jessop, W. Middlesex, scratched.

Second round—A. W. Murray, Purley Downs, d. Capt. J. S. Thornton, Mid-Surrey, 3 and 1; P. F. C. Elwes, Royal North Devon, d. G. Montgomerie, Mid-Surrey, 4 and 3; R. P. Humphries, Kidderminster, d. H. Gardiner-Hill, Royal Wimbledon, 3 and 2; J. E. T. Burrows, Denham, d. J. E. Laidlay, Hon. Co., 3 and 1; L. R. Hargreaves, New Forest, d. W. S. Johnston, Royal Liverpool, 2 up; S. J. Chesterton, Mid-Surrey, d. J. A. Brown, Royal Liverpool, 2 and 1; H. W. de Zoete, Royal St. George's, d. W. J. Hunter, Walmer and Kingsdown, at the 19th hole; E. R. Campbell, Royal Ashdown Forest, d. E. R. Scovell, Royal and Ancient, 3 and 1; C. H. Hayward, Ealing, d. Viscount Castlerosse, Coombe Hill, 3 and 2; A. G. Lockwood, Belmont Springs, U. S. A., d. R. W. Crummack, Lytham and St. Annes, 1 up; E. H. Holme, Royal St. George's, d. A. C. Latter, Royal Blackheath, 3 and 2; L. A. Phillips, Newport, d. F. W. H. Roulston, Wakefield, 5 and 3; H. H. Hilton d. Hon. E. R. Thesiger, 6 and 4; Robert Harris d. E. W. Chrystal, 8 and 7; R. E. Walker d. F. S. Bond, 3 and 2; E. Blackwell d. S. H. Fry, 7 and 6; Hon. D. Scott d. P. Carr, 4 and 2; C. O. Hezlet d. E. F. Boothby, 5 and 3; S. Mure Fergusson d. H. B.

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Barker, 1 up; E. L. Apperley d. L. Balfour Melville, 4 and 3; H. M. Hepworth d. Capt. H. Hinde, 1 up; Capt. H. A. Boyd d. R. T. Thomson, 5 and 4; J. S. Worthington d. A. Macbeth, 4 and 2; F. C. Carr d. C. A. Palmer at the 19th hole; H. L. Doherty d. J. M. Thomson, 1 up; T. H. P. Kolesar d. E. W. Holderness, 2 up; Hon. F. S. Jackson, d. E. F. J. Mills, 6 and 5; G. Renwick d. G. Elliot, 2 and 1; A. V. Hambro d. A. C. Chadwick, 4 and 3; A. H. Read d. P. S. May, 3 and 2; A. E. Mulholland d. H. C. Hull, 3 and 2; V. A. Pollock d. J. C. Parsons, 6 and 5; C. B. Macfarlane d. F. V. Radcliffe, 4 and 3; W. A. Murray d. J. J. Murray, 5 and 4; E. H. W. Scott d. F. H. Mitchell at the 20th hole; C. Evans d. C. Bretherton, 2 and 1; I. H. Whitton d. F. Hale, 4 and 3; G. Lockhart d. C. G. Hill, 1 up; G. C. Manford d. P. R. Harrop, 6 and 5; E. Martin-Smith w.o., W. A. Sievwright, scratched; F. W. H. Weaver d. F. M. Ronaldson, 3 and 2; H. D. Gillies d. B. Darwin, 3 and 2; J. Graham, Jr., d. H. E. Taylor, 2 and 1; D. M. Smith d. S. G. James at the 21st hole; H. C. Ellis d. T. B. Piggott, 3 and 2; F. Worth d. A. S. Reed, 2 up; H. S. B. Tubbs d. F. Ouimet, 2 up; R. H. Howie d. H. Stevens, 2 and 1; Hon. M. Scott d. G. L. Brunton, 5 and 4; F. Herreshoff d. J. R. Platt, 4 and 3; Hon. R. Graham-Murray d. W. C. Sutton, 4 and 2; G. L. Mellin d. E. W. Howe, 3 and 1; J. L. C. Jenkins d. "O. L. Smith," 3 and 2; O. Martin-Smith d. G. V. Stavert, 2 up; J. Ball d. J. M. Wood, 7 and 6; Capt. H. Hambro d. W. R. Philipson, 4 and 3; Capt. C. Hutchison d. H. M. Cairnes, 5 and 4; C. C. Aylmer d. J. B. Pease, 6 and 5; A. S. Marriott d. C. Turnbull, 2 and 1; H. Weber d. K. M. Carlisle, 7 and 6; T. Stevenson d. Viscount Maidstone, 3 and 2; J. H. Beavis d. H. le F. Shepherd, 1 up; C. H. Alison d. W. S. Lurcott, 3 and 2; N. F. Hunter d. J. C. Nunneley, 4 and 3.

Third round—P. F. C. Elwes d. A. W. Murray, 5 and 4; R. P. Humphries d. J. E. T. Burrows, 5 and 4; S. J. Chesterton d. L. R. Hargreaves, 2 and 1; E. R. Campbell d. H. W. de Zoete, 3 and 2; C. H. Hayward d. A. G. Lockwood, 2 and 1; L. A. Phillips d. E. H. Holme, 6 and 5; H. H. Hilton d. R. Harris, 2 and 1; E. Blackwell d. R. E. Walker, 6 and 4; C. O. Hezlet d. Hon. D. Scott, 6 and 5; E. L. Apperley d. S. Mure Fergusson, 4 and 3; Capt. Boyd d. H. M. Hepworth, 5 and 4; F. C. Carr d. J. S. Worthington at the 19th hole; T. H. P. Kolesar d. H. L. Doherty at the 20th hole; Hon. F. S. Jackson d. G. Renwick at the 19th hole; A. H. Read d. A. V. Hambro, 1 up; Capt. Mulholland d. V. A. Pollock, 3 and 2; C. B. Macfarlane d. W. A. Murray, 3 and 1; C. Evans d. E. H. W. Scott, 3 and 2; G. Lockhart d. I. H. Whitton, 6 and 5; E. Martin-Smith d. G. C. Manford, 3 and 2; H. D. Gillies d. F. W. H. Weaver, 7 and 6; J. Graham, Jr., d. D. Martin-Smith, 4 and 2; H. C. Ellis d. F. Worth, 3 and 2; H. S. B. Tubbs d. R. H. Howie, 3 and 1; Hon. M. Scott d. F. Herreshoff, 4 and 3; G. L. Mellin d. Hon. R. Graham-Murray, 6 and 4; J. L. C. Jenkins d. O. Martin-Smith, 5 and 4; Capt. Hambro d. J. Ball at the 19th hole; Capt. Hutchison d. C. C. Aylmer, 3 and 2; H. Weber d. A. S. Marriott, 2 up; J. H. Beavis d. T. Stevenson, 1 up; N. F. Hunter d. C. H. Alison, 3 and 2.

Fourth round—R. P. Humphries d. P. F. C. Elwes, 5 and 3; E. R. Campbell d. S. J. Chesterton, 5 and 4; L. A. Phillips d. C. Hayward, 4 and 3; E. Blackwell d. H. H. Hilton, 2 and 1; C. O. Hezlet d. F. L. Apperley, 6 and 5; F. C. Carr d. Capt. Boyd, 7 and 6; T. H. P. Kolesar d. Hon. F. S. Jackson, 2 up; Capt. A. E. Mulholland d. A. H. Read at the 20th hole; E. Martin-Smith d. G. Lockhart at the 19th hole; C. B. Macfarlane d. C. Evans, Jr., 4 and 2; J. Graham d. H. D. Gillies, 3 and 1; H. C. Ellis d. H. S. B. Tubbs, 2 up; Hon. M. Scott d. G. L. Mellin, 1 up; J. L. C. Jenkins d. Capt. H. Hambro, 7 and 6; Capt. Hutchison d. H. Weber, 6 and 4; N. F. Hunter d. J. H. Beavis, 2 and 1.

Fifth round—R. P. Humphries d. E. R. Campbell, 1 up; L. A. Phillips d. E. Blackwell at the 19th hole; C. O. Hezlet d. F. C. Carr, 5 and 4; T. H. P. Kolesar d. Capt. Mulholland, 2 and 1; E. Martin-Smith d. C. B. Macfarlane, 2 up; J. Graham d. H. C. Ellis at the 19th hole; J. L. C. Jenkins d. Hon. M. Scott, 4 and 3; N. F. Hunter d. Capt. Hutchison, 1 up.

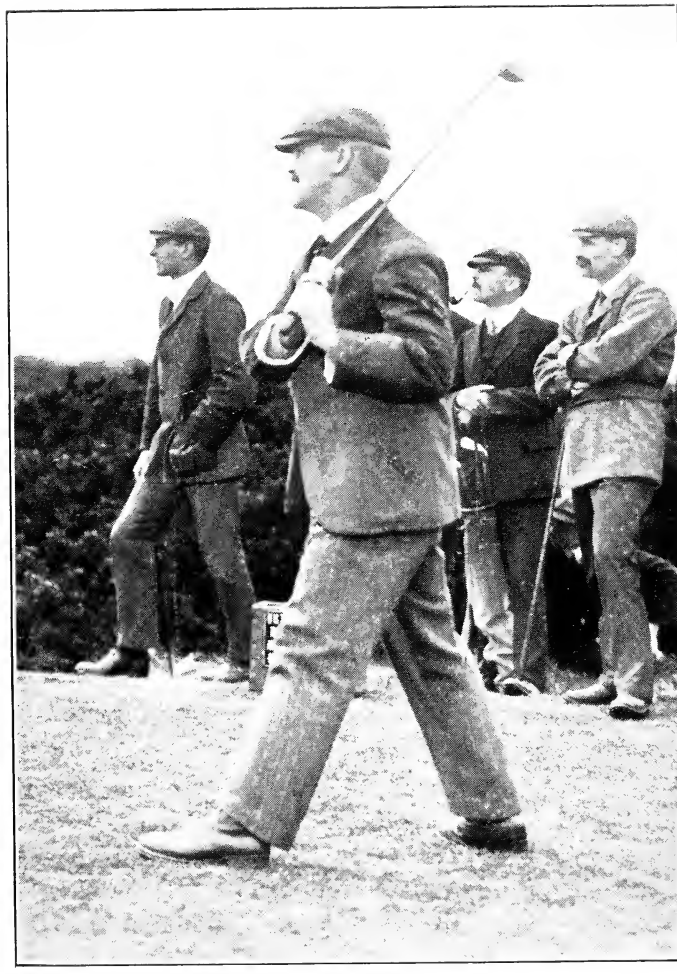
Sixth round—R. P. Humphries d. L. A. Phillips, 2 and 1; C. O. Hezlet d. T. H. P. Kolesar, 1 up; E. Martin-Smith d. J. Graham, Jr., 3 and 2; J. L. C. Jenkins d. N. F. Hunter, 2 and 1.

Semi-final round—C. O. Hezlet d. R. P. Humphries, 1 up; J. L. C. Jenkins d. E. Martin-Smith, 2 and 1.

Final round—J. L. C. Jenkins d. C. O. Hezlet, 3 and 2.

LADIES' OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Few of the courses over which the ladies' championship has been played offered a better test for the long player than the one chosen for the scene of the 1914 championship at Hunstanton, and there was little chance for flukes to be pulled off to the detriment of the really good player.



J. H. TAYLOR,
British Open Champion, 1913.

While there was a dearth of over-the-seas entries, thereby eliminating the international aspect of the competition, the best that the empire could produce were there, and the dopesters had the inside track of matters in picking the semi-finalists quite readily.

The total entry was a large one, some 166 facing the starter—this being the largest entry yet recorded. Miss Cecil Leitch ultimately proved to be the winner, and her victory was indeed a popular one, for there is doubtless no woman in Great Britain who has run in harder luck than she has in previous championships.

Her opponent in the finals was the 1912 champion, Miss Gladys Ravenscroft, so that it will be apparent to all that her victory was indeed a meritorious one. Miss Leitch defeated her 2 and 1.

As a curtain raiser to the main event—the championship—the international matches are held, in which teams representing England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland vie with each other for victory. As in the two previous years, England again demonstrated her superiority, defeating Scotland by 6 matches to 2, Ireland by 7 to 2, and Wales 9 to 0.

WINNERS AND RUNNERS-UP SINCE THE INSTITUTION OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

1893—Lady Margaret Scott (winner), at St. Annes; (38 entries).
Miss Issette Pearson (runner-up).
1894—Lady Margaret Scott (winner), at Littlestone; (64 entries).
Miss Issette Pearson (runner-up).
1895—Lady Margaret Scott (winner), at Portrush; (85 entries).
Miss E. Lythgoe (runner-up).
1896—Miss Amy Pascoe (winner), at Hoylake; (82 entries).
Miss L. Thomson (runner-up).
1897—Miss Edith Orr (winner), at Gullane; (101 entries).
Miss Orr (runner-up).
1898—Miss L. Thomson (winner), at Yarmouth; (77 entries).
Miss E. Nevile (runner-up).
1899—Miss May Hezlet (winner), at Newcastle, Ireland; (77 entries).
Miss Magill (runner-up).
1900—Miss Rhona Adair (winner), at Westward Ho! (79 entries).
Miss Nevile (runner-up).
1901—Miss M. Graham (winner), at Aberdovey; (44 entries).
Miss Rhona Adair (runner-up).
1902—Miss May Hezlet (winner—after a tie), at Deal; (110 entries).
Miss E. Nevile (runner-up).
1903—Miss Rhona Adair (winner), at Portrush; (76 entries).
Miss Walker-Leigh (runner-up).
1904—Miss Lottie Dod (winner), at Troon; (95 entries).
Miss May Hezlet (runner-up).
1905—Miss Bertha Thompson (winner), at Cromer; (137 entries).
Miss M. E. Stuart (runner-up).
1906—Mrs. Kennion (winner), at Burnham; (111 entries).
Miss Bertha Thompson (runner-up).
1907—Miss May Hezlet (winner), at Newcastle, Ireland; (110 entries).
Miss Florence Hezlet (runner-up).
1908—Miss Titterton (winner—after a tie), at St. Andrews; (148 entries).
Miss Dorothy Campbell (runner-up).
1909—Miss Dorothy Campbell (winner), at Birkdale; (143 entries).
Miss Florence Hezlet (runner-up).
1910—Miss E. Grant-Suttie (winner), at Westward Ho! (120 entries).
Miss L. Moore (runner-up).
1911—Miss Dorothy Campbell (winner), at Portrush; (114 entries).
Miss Violet Hezlet (runner-up).
1912—Miss G. Ravenscroft (winner), at Turnberry; (118 entries).
Miss S. Temple (runner-up).
1913—Miss Muriel Dodd (winner), at St. Annes; (127 entries).
Miss Chubb (runner-up).
1914—Miss Cecil Leitch (winner), at Hunstanton; (166 entries).
Miss G. Ravenscroft (runner-up).

BRITISH OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

The fifty-fourth open championship of the British Isles was brought to a close on the historic links of Prestwick, when for the sixth time in his career that wizard of golf, Harry Vardon, totaled 306 strokes for four rounds of the classic course, being three shots lower than his nearest competitor, J. H. Taylor. The victory of Vardon was a popular one and full of thrills for the gallery, whose numbers were larger than ever before. Summary:

H. Vardon, South Herts	73	77	78	78—306
J. H. Taylor, Mid-Surrey	74	78	74	83—309
H. B. Simpson, Old St. Anne's	77	80	78	75—310
Abe Mitchell, Sonning	76	78	79	79—312
Tom Williamson, Notts	75	79	79	79—312
R. G. Wilson, Croham Hurst	76	77	80	80—313
J. Ockenden, West Drayton	75	76	83	80—314
Mr. J. L. C. Jenkins, Troon	79	80	73	83—315
P. J. Gaudin, Camberley Heath	78	83	80	74—315
J. Braid, Walton Heath	74	82	78	82—316
G. Duncan, Hanger Hill	77	79	80	80—316
E. Ray, Oxhey	77	82	76	81—316
A. Massy, Nivelle St. Jean de Luz	77	82	75	82—316
J. D. Edgar, Northumberland	79	75	84	79—317
J. Gassiat, Chantilly	76	81	80	80—317
J. Bradbeer, Porters Park	77	80	80	80—317
Mr. E. A. Lassen, Bradford	85	78	79	77—319
W. Hunter, Richmond	82	77	77	83—319
Cyril Hughes, Chester	80	81	80	80—321
E. Foord, Burnham and Berrow	82	81	82	76—321
E. Jones, Chislehurst	87	81	80	74—322
J. B. Batley, Bushey Hall	78	83	81	80—322
F. Leach, Northwood	76	86	78	82—322
C. R. Smith, West Middlesex	81	79	80	82—322
W. Hambleton, Anson	79	75	86	83—323
D. P. Watt, Mortonhall	84	80	78	81—323
Joshua Taylor, Acton	82	79	84	78—323
M. Moran, Seaham Harbour	82	83	82	76—323
E. Whitcombe, Came Down	74	83	84	83—324
Captain C. K. Hutchison, Hon. Co	81	75	82	86—324
J. C. Lonie, Bromley and Bickley	77	84	82	81—324
A. Herd, Coombe Hill	79	87	79	79—324
W. M. Watt, Dirleton	77	81	84	83—325
Mr. Gordon Lockhart, Prestwick-St. Nicholas	83	78	85	80—326
J. Sherlock, Stoke Poges	84	78	85	79—326
L. Holland, Northampton	78	78	87	83—326
P. O'Hare, Foxrock	81	84	84	78—327
C. Gray, Beckenham	84	81	81	81—327
G. M. Turner, Coombe Hill	81	77	86	84—328
A. Seymour, Molesey Hurst	84	85	81	78—328
Mr. J. R. H. Anderson, Prestwick	81	91	78	79—329
J. Horn, Weston-super-Mare	80	80	80	89—329
W. E. Reid, Banstead Downs	83	80	86	80—329
E. H. Risebro, Sheringham	86	83	81	79—329
F. Robson, Cooden Beach	78	82	85	84—329
Mr. R. W. Orr, Northwood	79	80	87	84—330
A. Simpson, Knott End	81	87	82	80—330
J. Adwick, Olton	80	83	81	86—330
A. F. Kettley, Edgware	83	84	80	83—330
J. B. Ross, Parklangley	79	85	84	83—331
C. Roberts, Woolton	79	86	81	85—331
B. Sayers, North Berwick	89	79	79	84—331
F. H. Frostick, St. George's Hill	84	86	83	78—331
F. Collins, Llandudno	81	86	88	76—331
C. Johns, Ashford Manor	84	79	88	81—332
Mr. F. Ouimet, Woodlands, U.S.A.	86	79	85	82—332
J. Hepburn, Home Park	83	80	85	84—332
W. L. Ritchie, Worplesdon	81	87	85	80—333
H. A. Gaudin, Royal Jersey	85	85	85	79—334
H. Cheal, Newhaven	81	88	83	83—335
R. McInnes, Whitecraigs	84	91	78	82—335
Lord C. Hope, Sunningdale	84	85	80	86—335

A. W. Butchart, Kilmarnock	89	88	76	83—336
P. Robertson, Braid Hills	82	83	85	86—336
J. Sidey, Bramshot	85	82	84	85—336
G. Cawkwell, Guildford	82	85	80	89—336

BRITISH CHAMPIONS.

AMATEUR.

Year.	Winner.	Runner-up	Where Played
1886	Horace Hutchinson	H. A. Lamb	St. Andrews
1887	Horace Hutchinson	John Ball, Jr.	Hoylake
1888	John Ball, Jr.	J. E. Laidlay	Prestwick
1889	J. E. Laidlay	L. M. Balfour	St. Andrews
1890	John Ball, Jr.	J. E. Laidlay	Hoylake
1891	J. E. Laidlay	H. H. Hilton	St. Andrews
1892	John Ball, Jr.	H. H. Hilton	Sandwich
1893	Peter Anderson	J. E. Laidlay	Prestwick
1894	John Ball, Jr.	S. M. Ferguson	Hoylake
1895	L. Balfour Melville	John Ball, Jr.	St. Andrews
1896	F. G. Tait	H. H. Hilton	Sandwich
1897	A. J. T. Allan	James Robb	Muirfield
1898	F. G. Tait	S. M. Ferguson	Hoylake
1899	John Ball, Jr.	F. G. Tait	Prestwick
1900	H. H. Hilton	James Robb	Sandwich
1901	H. H. Hilton	John L. Low	St. Andrews
1902	Charles Hutchings	S. H. Fry	Hoylake
1903	Robert Maxwell	H. G. Hutchinson	Muirfield
1904	W. J. Travis	Edward Blackwell	Sandwich
1905	A. G. Barry	Hon. O. Scott	Prestwick
1906	J. Robb	C. C. Lingen	Hoylake
1907	John Ball, Jr.	C. A. Palmer	St. Andrews
1908	E. A. Lassen	H. E. Taylor	Sandwich
1909	R. Maxwell	Capt. Hutchinson	Muirfield
1910	John Ball, Jr.	C. Aylmer	Hoylake
1911	H. H. Hilton	E. A. Larsen	Prestwick
1912	John Ball, Jr.	Abe Mitchell	Westward Ho
1913	H. Hilton	R. Harris	St. Andrews
1914	J. L. Jenkins	C. L. Hezlet	Sandwich

PROFESSIONAL.

Year.	Winner.	Where Played.	Score.
1860	Willie Park, Sr., Musselburgh	Prestwick	174
1861	Tom Morris, Sr., Prestwick	Prestwick	163
1862	Tom Morris, Sr., Prestwick	Prestwick	163
1863	Willie Park, Sr., Musselburgh	Prestwick	168
1864	Tom Morris, Sr., Prestwick	Prestwick	167
1865	A. Strath, St. Andrews	Prestwick	162
1866	Willie Park, Sr., Musselburgh	Prestwick	169
1867	Tom Morris, Sr., St. Andrews	Prestwick	170
1868	Tom Morris, Jr., St. Andrews	Prestwick	154
1869	Tom Morris, Jr., St. Andrews	Prestwick	157
1870*	Tom Morris, Jr., St. Andrews	Prestwick	149
1872	Tom Morris, Jr., St. Andrews	Prestwick	166
1873	Tom Kidd, St. Andrews	St. Andrews	179
1874	Mungo Park, Musselburgh	Musselburgh	159
1875	Willie Park, Sr., Musselburgh	Prestwick	166
1876	R. Martin, St. Andrews	St. Andrews	176
1877	Jamie Anderson, St. Andrews	Musselburgh	160
1878	Jamie Anderson, St. Andrews	Prestwick	157
1879	Jamie Anderson, St. Andrews	St. Andrews	170
1880	R. Ferguson, Musselburgh	Musselburgh	162
1881	R. Ferguson, Musselburgh	Prestwick	170
1882	R. Ferguson, Musselburgh	St. Andrews	171
1883†	Willie Fernie, Dumfries	Musselburgh	159
1884	Jack Simpson, Carnoustie	Prestwick	160
1885	R. Martin, St. Andrews	St. Andrews	171

BRITISH PROFESSIONAL CHAMPIONS—Continued.

Year.	Winner.	Where Played.	Score.
1886	D. Brown, Musselburgh	Musselburgh	157
1887	Willie Park, Jr., Musselburgh	Prestwick	161
1888	Jack Burns, Warwick	St. Andrews	171
1889‡	Willie Park, Jr., Musselburgh	Musselburgh	155
1890	John Ball, Royal Liverpool	Prestwick	164
1891§	H. Kirkaldy, St. Andrews	St. Andrews	166
1892	H. H. Hilton, Royal Liverpool	Muirfield	305
1893	W. Auchterlonie, St. Andrews	Prestwick	322
1894	J. H. Taylor, Winchester	Sandwich	326
1895	J. H. Taylor, Winchester	St. Andrews	322
1896‖	Harry Vardon, Ganton	Muirfield	316
1897	H. H. Hilton, Royal Liverpool	Hoylake	314
1898	Harry Vardon, Ganton	Prestwick	307
1899	Harry Vardon, Ganton	Sandwich	310
1900	J. H. Taylor, Richmond	St. Andrews	309
1901	James Braid, Romford	Muirfield	309
1902	A. Herd, Huddersfield	Hoylake	307
1903	Harry Vardon, Totteridge	Prestwick	300
1904	Jack White, Sunningdale	Sandwich	296
1905	James Braid, Walton Heath	St. Andrews	318
1906	James Braid, Walton Heath	Muirfield	300
1907	A. Massy, La Boulie	Hoylake	312
1908	James Braid, Walton Heath	Prestwick	291
1909	J. H. Taylor, Richmond	Deal	295
1910	James Braid, Walton Heath	St. Andrews	299
1911¶	Harry Vardon, Totteridge	Sandwich	303
1912	Ed Ray, Oxhey	Muirfield	295
1913	J. H. Taylor, Richmond	Hoylake	304
1914	Harry Vardon	Prestwick	306

* Belt won outright and replaced by cup after a year's interval. † After a tie with R. Ferguson, Musselburgh. ‡ After a tie with Andrew Kirkaldy. § Extended to seventy-two holes after this year. ‖ Vardon tied with J. H. Taylor; these competitors played two extra deciding rounds when the scores were: Vardon 157, Taylor 161. ¶ After a tie with A. Massy.

LENGTHS OF PRINCIPAL COURSES IN GREAT BRITAIN.

COURSE.	Yards.
Aberdovey	5,940
Alnmouth	5,107
Ashdown Forest	5,500
Balgownie, N. B.	5,920
Barry, N. B.	5,900
Barnton, N. B.	5,968
Bath	5,358
Birkdale	6,011
Blackheath	Not measured
Brancaster	6,150
Bruntsfield, N. B.	5,606
Burnham Beeches	5,890
Burntisland	5,529
Buxton	5,542
Carnoustie	6,500
Chester	5,741
Crail	4,190
Cromer	5,660
Cruden Bay	5,937
*Deal	6,593
Dollymount	6,400
Dornock	6,015
Dunbar	5,816
Duddingston, N. B.	5,764
Eastbourne	——
Elie	——

COURSE.	Yards.
Felixstowe	——
Formby	6,465
Gailes	5,514
Guernsey	5,087
Gullane Old	6,235
Gullane New	6,089
Harlech	6,100
Heswall	5,090
Hoylake	6,455
Huddersfield	6,150
Ilkley	5,650
Ipswich	5,900
Islay	5,611
Jersey	5,280
Killermont	approximate 5,640
*Kilspindie	——
Lahinch	5,628
Leasowe	5,500
Leven	approximate 5,463
Lindrick (Sheffield)	5,468
Littlestone	6,206
Llandudno	5,850
Lossiemouth	6,000
Luffness (New)	5,300
Machrihanish	5,794
Malvern	5,170

LENGTHS OF PRINCIPAL COURSES IN GREAT BRITAIN—Continued.

COURSE	Yards.
Mid-Surrey	6,250
*Monifieth	—
*Mortonhall, N. B.	—
Muirfield	6,194
Murrayfield, N. B.	5,000
Musselburgh (18 holes), approximate	5,592
Musselburgh (9 holes)	2,796
Nairn	6,160
Newcastle (Co. Down)	6,400
North Berwick	6,066
Norwich	—
Oxford	Not measured
Perth	5,233
Porthcawl	5,655
Portmarnock	6,328
Portrush	5,807
Portsalon	5,584
Prestwick	6,122
Rochester	5,686
Romford	5,854
St. Andrews	6,487
St. Anne's	6,051
*Sandwich	6,594
Seascale approximate	5,500
Seaton Carew	—
Sunningdale	6,100
Trafford Park approximate	5,840
Troon	6,140
Wallasey	6,014
Walton Heath	6,400
Warwick	5,700
Watford	6,207
West Lancashire	6,000
Westward Ho approximate	6,389
*Wimbledon	6,000
Windermere approximate	4,900
Yarmouth approximate	5,547

* Course recently altered.

This does not take into account the many recent changes on some of the courses and about which we have no data.

FRENCH AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.

The French amateur championship, which was played on the course of the Société de Golf de Paris, where it has always been held since the beginning, was a curious event last year. American contestants were as numerous as any other nationality, and the contest was narrowed down in the finals to two Americans—Francis Ouimet of Boston and H. J. Topping of Greenwich, Conn. Twenty-five entrants competed, and as half of them were from this side of the water, the spirit of rivalry was not quite so keen. The course was some 6,405 yards in playing length, made up as follows:

Out	407	440	143	506	467	149	562	281	280	—3235
In	225	528	340	302	363	198	450	434	330	—3170
Total, yards										6405

Several players had byes in the first round.

First round—Mr. E. L. Apperley, Sydney, Australia, w.o., Mr. J. F. Shanley, Deal, U. S. A., scratched; Lord Charles Hope, Royal St. George's (holder), d. Mr. W. Godfrey, Knocke-Sur-Mer, 3 and 2; Mr. Spencer Gollan, Royal and Ancient, d. Mr. H. Terry, Sydney, Australia, 7 and 6; Mr. C. A. Palmer, Handsworth, d. Mr. A. G. Lockwood, Belmont, U. S. A., 3 and 2; Mr. F. Ouimet, Woodland, U. S. A., d. Mr. J. S. Worthington, Mid-Surrey, 8 and 6; Mr. H. Weber, Inverness Club, Toledo, d. Mr. J. Ruffer, Walton Heath, 6 and 5; Mr. J. D. Travers, Upper Montclair, d. Mr. F. V. Radcliffe, Royal St. George's, 9 and 8; Mr. F. Herreshoff, Ekwanok, d. Mr. E. Esmond, La Boulie, at the 19th hole; Mr. Fraser Hale, Chicago, d. Mr. A. Vagliano, La Boulie, 8 and 7.

Second round—Mr. W. Bowers, La Boulie, d. Mr. A. B. Graves, La Boulie, 3 and 1; Mr. E. L. Apperley, Sydney, Australia, d. Mr. J. H. Snowden, Bishops Stortford, 4 and 3; Lord Charles Hope d. Mr. Spencer Gollan, 3 and 2; Mr. F. Ouimet d. Mr. C. A. Palmer, 4 and 3; Mr. J. D. Travers d. Mr. H. Weber, 1 up; Mr. F. Herreshoff d. Mr. F. Hale, 3 and 1; Mr. H. J. Topping, Greenwich Country Club, U. S. A., d. Mr. Charles Evans, Edgewater, U. S. A., 2 up; Mr. J. Le Blan, Lille, France, d. Mr. E. Knapp, La Boulie, 4 and 3.

Third round—Apperly d. Bowers, 1 up; Ouimet d. Lord Charles Hope, 1 up; Travers d. Herreshoff, 5 and 4; Topping d. Le Blan, 1 up.

Semi-final round—Ouimet d. Apperley, 4 and 3; Topping d. Travers, 3 and 2.

Final round—Ouimet d. Topping, 4 and 3.

Root System of Rational Handicapping

A rather ingenious system of handicapping has been gotten up by J. Sherman Root of Chicago, which, after having been fully tried out at various clubs, has proven to be the best, in the opinion of many, yet put forward. We herewith, for the benefit of our readers, give it at full length. To be eligible for handicap under this system each member must hand in five full eighteen-hole scores to obtain a handicap at the beginning of a season. After the first handicap is posted it should be changed on the first of each month as better scores are turned in. All full eighteen-hole scores, whether made in friendly matches, medal or match events, or whether they be good, bad or indifferent, should be turned in. All putts should be holed out. All averages of 135 or over will be handicapped at 36 (this does not apply to ladies).

When a player turns in no scores, he should play from scratch until such time as he complies with this rule. A player who turns in one score will be penalized eight strokes, two scores seven strokes, three scores six strokes and four scores five strokes, but shall not be lower than scratch.

Medal handicaps are determined by taking three-fifths of the actual difference between the average of five best scores and par, and other information. Fractions of a half or over count as a whole.

The handicap officer, by knowledge or information, has the power to reduce the handicap of any player failing to turn in his lowest scores, and such suppression of lowest scores is declared unfair play.

Handicaps are to be obtained in no other way.

The handicap at one par will be the same at any other club. The only change will be in the play. It will be greater or less in proportion as the par is greater or less than the one on which the handicap is based.

This system of ratings may be used in any manner desired. The rating may be changed immediately a better score is made, or it may be changed once in two weeks, or once a month. The main object is to get in the cards and it can best be done by making the handicap changes on the first of each month during the season. A player is entitled to play throughout an event with the same rating. Events usually run for a month. Every card must be turned in so that the handicapper can tell what each man is doing. If he finds one going stale (cards will show it), he will treat him accordingly; giving him an increase in handicap such as his play warrants.

A player who has turned in no scores, after having had sufficient time to do so, should play from par, or as it is termed, "scratch." If he has turned in only one card, it should be applied to the table of ratings and eight strokes deducted from the handicap shown in the table; if only two cards, average them and apply to the table, then deduct seven strokes; if three cards, treat in the same manner with a six strokes deduction; and for four cards deduct five strokes. No rating obtained in this manner should be lower than par.

It is up to the honor of every member of a club to turn in his scores, and any suppression of scores, be they good or bad, should be deemed unfair play. No handicap should be changed during the progress of an event. All putts must be holed out.

Exceptionally low or "freak" scores should be turned in, and, when not duplicated, treated as only one stroke less than the lowest score previously reported. Freak scores may be construed as follows, i. e.: Players at 0 to 8 making a score three strokes or more less than the lowest turned in; those from 9 to 18 four or more less, and players at 19 and over, five strokes or more less. The table of handicaps can be used with the "Automatic" system or otherwise, the second table of fractional figures is particularly adapted to the "Automatic" system. The idea of the table is to provide handicap figures that apply to all courses having par of from 69 to 77 inclusive. A man having an average score of 69 on a par 69 course plays at scratch on any course, because a 69 on a 69 course is no better than a 77 on a 77 course. Par is par, and the home club handicap, if from par on the average of the five best scores, should apply on any other course, no matter what the par of the visited club may be. With this system in general use, the club han-

dicap applies everywhere and no National or Western handicap lists are needed. In the event a player has an average of five best scores that fall under par, the same rule applies. The table reverses itself and becomes plus. Thus it will be + 2, + 2, + 1, + 1, 0, 1, 1, 2, 2, etc.

PAR OF COURSE.

Full Hcp.	Frac. Hcp.	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77
				AVERAGE	OF	FIVE	BEST	SCORES.		
0	.0	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77
1	.6	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78
1	1.2	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79
2	1.8	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
2	2.4	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81
3	3.	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82
4	3.6	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83
4	4.2	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84
5	4.8	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85
5	5.4	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86
6	6.	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87
7	6.6	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88
7	7.2	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89
8	7.8	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
8	8.4	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91
9	9.	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92
10	9.6	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93
10	10.2	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94
11	10.8	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95
11	11.4	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96
12	12.	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97
13	12.6	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98
13	13.2	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99
14	13.8	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100
14	14.4	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101
15	15.	94	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102
16	15.6	95	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103
16	16.2	96	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104
17	16.8	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105
17	17.4	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106
18	18.	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107
19	18.6	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108
19	19.2	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109
20	19.8	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110
20	20.4	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111
21	21.	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112
22	21.6	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113
22	22.2	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114
23	22.8	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115
23	23.4	108	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116
24	24.	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117
25	24.6	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118
25	25.2	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119
26	25.8	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120
26	26.4	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121
27	27.	114	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122
28	27.6	115	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123
28	28.2	116	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124
29	28.8	117	118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125
29	29.4	118	119	120	121	122	123	124	125	126
30	30.	119	120	121	122	123	124	125	126	127
31	30.6	120	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128
31	31.2	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129
32	31.8	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130
32	32.4	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131
33	33.	124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132
34	33.6	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133
34	34.2	126	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134
35	34.8	127	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135
35	35.4	128	129	130	131	132	133	134	135	136
36	36.	129	130	131	132	133	134	135	136	137
37	36.6	130	131	132	133	134	135	136	137	138

Short Hole and Long Hole Handicapping

HOLES OF START.

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As is well known, no common method is followed by golf clubs in selecting the holes at which strokes are granted in Handicap Match Play.

In forming their stroke-tables, some clubs—for example, a well-known Metropolitan club—assign the strokes to the long holes first, proceeding through the holes of medium length to the short holes and allotting the strokes to the first and second halves of the course alternately.

Other clubs select the holes in the same manner, but pay little heed to the equal division of the strokes between the two halves of the course. Another club will give the first stroke on the longest hole, the second stroke on the shortest hole, the third stroke on the second longest hole, the fourth stroke on the second shortest hole, and so on for a few more strokes, finally choosing the holes apparently at random.

Still other clubs consider primarily, not the length or difficulty of the holes, but the equal division of the strokes between the two halves of the course. In short, every club adopts its own theory in forming its stroke-table.

What does such diversity of method indicate? How far do the statistics of all the handicap matches played by a club in its tournaments during an entire season, or, better, for many seasons, bear out the truth of the theory adopted by the club in the formation of its stroke-table?

The purpose of handicapping is to put on an equal footing all the players in a club who have any title whatever to win matches. With perfect handicapping of individual players, that theory of selecting the holes in the formation of a stroke-table would seem best according to which the matches won during a season or during many seasons are divided most evenly between the inferior players (all receiving strokes) and the superior players (all granting strokes), due regard being paid to the results at different allowances. The excellence of the theory can be determined in the long run only by actual statistics. Here is no room for nineteenth hole vagaries.

So far as I have been able to ascertain, such a prolonged test of a stroke-table by the use of actual statistics has never been made; but, of course, in this matter I may be mistaken.

However, such a test for three years, 1911, 1912 and 1913, has been carried on in the New York Golf Club of Van Cortlandt Park. In the year 1911 a new stroke-table was adopted, in which the strokes were assigned first to the shortest holes and then to the medium and the longer holes, due regard being paid both to the position of the holes in the first and the second halves of the course and to their relative difficulty. The theory upon which the table was based is that, since in the system of equalizing the playing of two men by means of strokes granted at certain holes to the inferior player, the inferior is given not a positive advantage such as he is given in the holes of start system, but merely an additional chance, that is, as he must either win or halve the hole by means of the stroke granted in order that the stroke may be of advantage to him, the strokes should be granted first on the easiest, that is, in general, on the shortest holes, then on the medium, and finally on the long.

Thus the short hole system resembles slightly the holes of start system. By the latter system the inferior player is given a positive handicap by being granted one, two, three, etc., holes up at the beginning of the match. Consequently, in the short hole system, even if the inferior player were conceded the one or two shortest holes outright, he would be only slightly better off than in the holes of start system. In the latter system the superior player

has the full eighteen holes in which to win back the holes granted to the inferior, while in the short hole system he would have only one or two holes fewer than eighteen to win back the holes conceded to the inferior player. However, according to the statistics, the inferior player by no means wins all of the shortest holes to say nothing of the rather short holes.

If it would seem illogical in the case of a large number of strokes granted to the inferior player to defer the strokes on the longest holes to the last, the fallacy is only apparent, not real, inasmuch as a single stroke granted on a hole of five hundred yards or more would not be of the least advantage to a poor player. He probably could not win such a hole with even two strokes. Also, the number of matches played with large allowances of strokes is probably very small, since, in most clubs, the players are divided into classes A, B and C, or into first, second and third sixteens.

On the other hand, in the long hole system, in the case of a player receiving say fifteen or sixteen strokes, not to grant him strokes on the two very short holes found on the majority of courses is to take away from him, or, at least to decrease, his chances of winning what may be for him the easiest holes on the course.

A record was carefully kept during 1911, 1912, and 1913 of all the matches played with handicaps in which the bye holes were played out, a total of 883. The matches were played by the short hole system, but the results were tabulated also according to the long hole and the holes of start systems. In the case of the latter system the table used by a well-known Metropolitan club was followed. According to this, in the case of a difference between the handicaps of the two players of 1 or 2, the inferior player starts 1 hole up; with a difference of 3 or 4, 2 holes up; 5 or 6, 3 holes; 7 or 8, 4 holes; 9 or 10, 5 holes; 11 to 14, 6 holes; 15 to 18, 7 holes; 19 to 25, 8 holes; 26 to 36, 9 holes.

The handicaps of the individual players were fixed in accordance with the Calkins system and were carefully revised each month. The allowance of strokes granted the inferior player was equal to three-fourths of the difference between the handicaps of the two players.

The results of the 883 matches are as follows:

By the short hole system, the inferior won 395 matches, the superior 398 matches, and 90 matches were tied, a balance of 3 matches in favor of the superior.

By the long hole system, the inferior won 384 matches, the superior 420 matches, and 79 matches were halved, a balance of 36 matches in favor of the superior.

By the holes of start system, the inferior won 414 matches, the superior 382 matches, and 87 matches were tied, a balance of 32 matches in favor of the inferior.

The differences between handicaps ranged from 1 to 19; the allowance of strokes in the short and the long hole systems from 1 to 14; the allowances of holes in the holes of start system from 1 to 8.

Although the results for the period of three years in the case of the short hole system are remarkable, the superior winning only three more matches than the inferior and 90 matches being halved, the results for each year being fairly uniform, no claim is made for the general excellence of the short hole system. In fact, all of the systems are faulty when the various differences are taken by themselves. To some extent, this faultiness is due to the fact that fractions of ½ or more count as 1, and fractions of less than ½ are rejected.

Thus, with a difference of 1 between handicaps, the inferior receives ¼ of a stroke more than the ¾ of a stroke to which, strictly speaking, he is entitled. With a difference of 2, he receives 2 strokes, or 2-4 of a stroke in excess. With a difference of 3, he receives 2 strokes, or ¼ of a stroke less than what he is entitled to. With a difference of 4, he receives exactly three strokes. This series is repeated with the following four differences of 5, 6, 7 and 8, and so on.

There is a remarkable gain for the inferior noticeable in both the short hole and long hole systems, up to a difference of ten, when he receives more than his exact fractional allowance and a corresponding loss when he loses

TABLE 1.

Year	Difference of handicaps	Allowance of strokes	Short Hole System Matches won by			Long Hole System Matches won by			Holes of Start System Matches won by			
			Inferior	Superior	Tied	Inferior	Superior	Tied	Holes up	Inferior	Superior	Tied
1911	1	1	31	22	5	30	22	6	1	34	20	4
1912			23	22	4	23	23	3		25	20	4
1913			35	27	6	34	27	7		35	23	10
Totals at	1	1	89	71	15	87	72	16	1	94	63	18
1911	2	2	14	19	2	14	20	1	1	14	20	1
1912			26	22	4	21	27	4		25	23	4
1913			22	23	10	25	25	5		22	25	8
Totals at	2	2	62	64	16	60	72	10	1	61	68	13
1911	3	2	14	17		13	16	2	2	15	16	
1912			20	17	2	20	17	2		21	16	2
1913			16	24	7	14	28	5		17	19	11
Totals at	3	2	50	58	9	47	61	9	2	53	51	13
1911	4	3	17	16	5	15	18	5	2	16	18	4
1912			15	13	3	12	15	4		15	14	2
1913			13	11	6	12	14	4		13	12	5
Totals at	4	3	45	40	14	39	47	13	2	44	44	11
1911	5	4	11	13	3	13	14		3	12	11	4
1912			15	11	1	14	10	3		14	10	3
1913			13	14	3	15	12	3		16	10	4
Totals at	5	4	39	38	7	42	36	6	3	42	31	11
1911	6	5	15	14	4	14	15	4	3	17	14	2
1912			16	8	3	17	7	3		15	8	4
1913			6	4	3	8	4	1		8	5	
Totals at	6	5	37	26	10	39	26	8	6	40	27	6
1911	7	5	7	9	2	7	9	2	4	9	7	2
1912			7	12	2	7	14			8	11	2
1913			2	7		2	7			2	5	2
Totals at	7	5	16	28	4	16	30	2	4	19	23	6
1911	8	6	8	5	2	6	6	1	4	6	8	1
1912			6	4	1	5	5	1		6	3	2
1913			6	7		4	7	2		4	7	2
Totals at	8	6	20	16	3	15	20	4	4	16	18	5
1911	9	7	5	8	2	5	7	3	5	7	7	1
1912			5	1		4	2			5	1	
1913			5	3	3	5	3	3		7	4	
Totals at	9	7	15	12	5	14	12	6	5	19	12	1
1911	10	8	5	5	1	3	8		5	4	6	1
1912			2	6	2	2	8			2	7	1
1913			2	2	1	2	2	1		3	2	
Totals at	10	8	9	13	4	7	18	1	5	9	15	2
1911	11	8	1	2		1	2		6	1	2	
1912			1	2		1	2			1	2	
1913			1	5		2	4			2	4	
Totals at	11	8	3	9		4	8		6	4	8	
1911	12	9	1	3	1	1	4		6	2	3	
1912			1	3	1	2	2	1		2	2	1
1913				1				1			1	
Totals at	12	9	2	7	2	3	6	2	6	4	6	1
1911	13	10	1	3		1	3		6	1	3	
1912				1		1				1		
1913			1	2		1	2			1	2	
Totals at	13	10	2	6		3	5		6	3	5	
1911	14	11	1	1		1	1		6	1	1	
1912				4		1	3				4	
1913				1		1		1			1	
Totals at	14	11	1	6		3	4		6	1	6	
1911	15	11	1			1			7	1		
1912												
1913				1				1		1		
Totals at	15	11	1	1		1		1	7	2		
1911	16	12	1			1			7	1		
1912				1			1				1	
1913			1			1				1		
Totals at	16	12	2	1		2	1		7	2	1	
1911	18	14							7			
1912			1			1				1		
1913			1					1			1	
Totals at	18	14	2			1		1	7	1	1	
1911	19	14		2	1	1	2		8		3	
1912												
1913												
Totals at	19	14		2	1	1	2		8		3	

the ¼ stroke to which he is entitled. This same varying loss and gain is noticeable in the holes of start system. In all three systems it would probably be more just not to grant the one stroke in the case of a difference between handicaps of one. Nearly always the inferior wins more than his fair share of the matches, and by a comfortable margin. The statistics, not here printed, show that it would be more just not to grant the single stroke, or at least a full stroke.

The majority of the holes on the Van Cortlandt course are of medium length; very few are what may be termed long holes. In view of the fact that the superior won by the long hole system 36 matches more than the inferior and by the short hole system only 3 matches more, it seems likely that on courses containing several very long holes, a considerable number of long holes and few medium holes, such as is the case generally on courses of 6,000 yards, the inferior player would have by the long hole system still less chance against the superior than on the course of 5,340 yards on which the matches here recorded were played.

TABLE 2

Differences	Short Hole System Matches won by			Long Hole System Matches won by			Holes of Start System Matches won by		
	Inferior	*Superior*	*Tied*	*Inferior*	*Superior*	*Tied*	*Inferior*	*Superior*	*Tied*
Totals at 1	89	71	15	87	72	16	94	63	18
" 2 and less	151	145	31	147	144	26	155	131	31
" 3 " "	201	193	40	194	205	35	208	182	44
" 4 " "	246	233	54	233	252	48	252	226	55
" 5 " "	285	271	61	275	288	54	294	257	66
" 6 " "	322	297	71	314	314	62	334	284	72
" 7 " "	338	325	75	330	344	64	353	307	78
" 8 " "	358	341	79	345	364	68	369	325	83
" 9 " "	373	353	83	359	376	74	388	337	84
" 10 " "	382	366	87	366	394	75	397	352	86
" 11 " "	385	375	87	370	402	75	401	360	86
" 12 " "	387	382	89	373	408	77	405	366	87
" 13 " "	389	388	89	376	413	77	408	371	87
" 14 " "	390	394	89	379	417	77	409	377	87
" 15 " "	391	395	89	380	417	78	411	377	87
" 16 " "	393	396	89	382	418	78	413	378	87
" 18 " "	395	396	89	383	418	79	414	379	87
" 19 " "	395	398	90	384	420	79	414	382	87
Excess in favor of		3			36			32	

A grand total of 883 matches.

Golf History at a Glance

LANDMARKS IN THE PROGRESS OF THE GAME.

1457 Parliament ordains that golf be "utterly cryit doune, and nocht usit."
1491 Another law to the same effect.
1503 King playing golf extensively.
1552 Earliest reference to golf being played at St. Andrews.
1608 Present Royal Blackheath Golf Club founded.
1735 Present Edinburgh Burgess Golfing Society founded.
1744 Present Honorable Company of Edinburgh Golfers founded.
1754 Present Royal and Ancient Golf Club founded.
First Royal and Ancient Club competition.
1787 Glasgow Golf Club founded.
1818 Manchester Golf Club founded.
1829 Calcutta Golf Club founded.
1834 Royal and Ancient Club given that title.
1837 Royal and Ancient King William IV. medal first competed for.
1848 Gutty ball came in ("Featheries" previously).
1849 Famous foursome. Allan Robertson and Tom Morris vs. Brothers Dunn. Former couple won.
1853 Willie Park, Sr., played Tom Morris twice for £100 stake each time. Park won both.
1854 Royal and Ancient Club's club house completed.
1859 Allan Robertson died.
1860 Open Championship established (Willie Park, Sr., winner).
1863 King Edward VII. (then Prince of Wales), captain of the Royal and Ancient Club.
1864 Present Royal North Devon Golf Club founded.
1865 London Scottish Golf Club founded.
1867 Tom Morris, Sr., won Open Championship for the fourth time.
1869 Present Royal Liverpool Golf Club founded.
1870 Tom Morris, Jr., won Open Championship for third time in succession and became owner of the belt.
1871 No championship.
1872 Tom Morris, Jr., won Open Championship for fourth time.
1873 Open Championship first played for at St. Andrews.
1874 Open Championship first played for at Musselburgh.
1875 Tom Morris, Jr., died.
Willie Park, Sr., won Open Championship for fourth time.
1878 Oxford and Cambridge University Match first played.
1879 Jamie Anderson won Open Championship for third time in succession.
1882 Bob Ferguson won Open Championship for third time in succession.
1886 Amateur Championship established (H. G. Hutchinson winner).
1887 Royal St. George's Golf Club founded.
1888 John Ball won Amateur Championship for the first time.
1889 Open Championship last played for at Musselburgh.
1890 John Ball won both Open and Amateur Championships.
1891 Parliamentary Handicap established.

1892 Championship of India established.
Open Championship first played for at Muirfield (H. H. Hilton winner).
Edward Blackwell drove 366 yards from seventeenth tee at St. Andrews.
Amateur Championship first played for at Sandwich.

1893 Ladies' Championship established.

1894 J. H. Taylor won his first Open Championship.
Open Championship first played for at Sandwich.
Right Hon. A. J. Balfour captain of the Royal and Ancient Club.
Organization of the United States Golf Association.

1895 American Open and Amateur Championships established.

1896 Harry Vardon won his first Open Championship.
F. G. Tait won his first Amateur Championship.

1897 Open Championship first played for at Hoylake (H. H. Hilton winner).

1898 Coburn Haskell first experimented with Haskell rubber-cored ball in America.

1899 H. Vardon defeated Willie Park in a seventy-two hole match.
Western Golf Association founded. Chicago Ill.

1900 F. G. Tait killed in South Africa.
J. H. Taylor won his third Open Championship.

1901 H. H. Hilton won Amateur Championship for the second time.
James Baird won his first Open Championship.

1902 Rubber-cored ball introduced into Great Britain.
Amateur International Match first played.

1903 Harry Vardon won his fourth Open Championship.
News of the World Tournament established.
Professional International Match first played.
W. J. Travis (America) wen Amateur Championship.

1906 James Braid won his third Open Championship. International foursome over four courses—St. Andrews, Troon, St. Annes, and Deal—for £400. J. H. Taylor and H. Vardon vs. James Braid and A. Herd. Taylor and Vardon won by 13 and 12.

1907 John Ball won his sixth Amateur Championship.
A. Massay (France) won the Open Championship.
Deal added to list of Open Championship courses.
Appeal for patent in rubber-cored ball rejected by House of Lords.

1908 Tom Morris, Sr., died.
James Braid won his fourth Open Championship in the record score of 291.
New code of rules adopted.

1909 J. H. Taylor won his fourth Open Championship.

1910 John Ball won his seventh Amateur Championship.
Jubileee of Open Championship, James Braid winning for the fifth time.
New Rules passed, excluding center-shafted clubs.

1911 H. H. Hilton won the British and American Amateur Championships.
Harry Vardon won his fifth Open Championship.

1912 Jerome D. Travers "came back." Won the American Amateur Championship a third time.
Harry Vardon won the News of the World Championship.

1913 Francis Ouimet, a Boston amateur, twenty years of age, defeated the professional golfing world of America, including Vardon, Ray, Tellier and Reid, from Great Britain and France, in the Open Championship of the United States, at Brookline.
Miss Ravenscroft of England won the Women's Championship of America.
"Jerry" Travers won Amateur Championship of America for the fourth time.

1914 Francis Ouimet captures the American Amateur Championship.
Harry Vardon for the sixth time wins the British Open Championship.
Miss Cecil Leitch wins the British Women's Championship.

Continental Golf Resorts

AUSTRIA.

Carlsbad—Carlsbad G.C. (9); Honorary Secretary, Sports Club, Carlsbad.
Marienbad—Marienbad G.C. (9); Herr J. A. Rubritius, Hotel Klinger.
Vienna—Vienna G.C. (9); R. le Ghait.

FRANCE.

Aix-les-Bains—Aix-les-Bains G.C. (9); A. M. Robertson.
Arcachon—Arcachon G.C. (9); Rev. S. Radcliffe, Villa Ferguson, Arcachon.
Argeles—Argeles G.C. (Pyrenees) (18); J. Peyrafitte, Golf Club, Argeles.
Biarritz—Biarritz G.C. (18); Honorary Secretary, Golf Club, Biarritz.
Bordeaux—Golf Bordelais (18); E. T. H. Edwards, Anglo-American Rooms, 26, Allees de Tourny.
Boulogne—Boulogne G.C., Wimereux (18); Dennett Barry, Golf Club, Wimereux, Pas de Calais.
Cannes—Cannes G.C., Napoule (18); J. M. Shelton, Golf Club, Napoule.
Cannes—Cannes Ladies' G.C. (9); J. M. Shelton, Golf Club, Napoule.
Chantilly—Chantilly G.C. (Oise) (18); A. Renard, Hon. Sec.
Compiègne (Oise)—Société de Sport de Compiègne (18); G. Gauvin.
Costebelle (Hyeres)—Costebelle G.C. (18); J. K. Ashton, Costebelle Hotels, Hyères (Var.).
Deauville—Deauville G.C. (18); M. Batut, 157, Rue de l'Universite, Paris; 3, Rue du Cercle, Deauville.
Dieppe—Dieppe G.C. (18); Commander Wallis, R.N., Golf Club, Dieppe.
Dinard—Dinard G.C., St. Briac; Ladies' G.C. (18); C. Harmens, Dinard Club.
Etretat—Etretat G.C. (18); Secretary, Hotel de Golf, Etretat.
Evian-les-Bains—Evian Golf Links (9); F. P. Wood, Chalet de Golf, Evian-les-Bains.
Fontainebleau—Societe du Golf de Fontainebleau (18; Comte A. de Puyfontaine.
Hardelot—Hardelot C.C. (9); Secretary, Chateau d'Hardelot, Pont de Briques, Pas de Calais.
Hyeres—Hyeres G.C. (18); George H. Logan.
Le Touquet—Société de Golf, (18); Secretary, Le Touquet, Etaples, Pas de Calais.
Luchon—Luchon G.C. (9); Y. Brown-Westhead, Villa Wenona, Luchon.
Mentone—Mentone G.C. (18); C. P. Levilly, Hotel Belle Vue, Mentone Golf Club, Alpes Maritimes.
Monte Carlo—Monte Carlo G.C. (18); W. A. C. Lethbridge.
Nice—Nice Golf Club, Cagnes, Alpes Maritimes (18); J. R. Hay-Gordon, Nice Golf Club.
Paris—Société de Golf de Paris, Versailles (18); Secretary du Golf de Paris, La Boulie, Versailles.
Pau—Pau G.C., Plaine de Billere (18); C. Saunderson.
Pournichet—Ste. Marguerite G.C. (9); C. H. Macarthy, Spiers, Kers Gaidee, St. Marguerite. Winter address: 8, Rue Martel, Paris.
St. Jean de Luz—St. Jean de Luz G.C. (12); Frank Jacobs, The Club, Chalet du Lac, St. Jean de Luz.
St. Jean de Luz—Nivelle G.C. (18); Count O'Byrne, 1, Rue Garat, St. Jean de Luz.
St. Raphael, Valescure—Valescure G.C. (9); A. E. Madge, Valescure, St. Raphael.

SPAIN.

Gibraltar—Gibraltar G.C. (9); F. L. Francis.
Madrid—Madrid G.C. (18); Senor Don Pedro de Irajo, Calle de Segovia 11, Madrid.
San Sebastian—San Sebastian G.C. (9); F. Dotres, San Sebastian Golf Club.

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Copenhagen—Copenhagen G.C. (9); Herr A. Rubow, Parkvej 14, Klampenborg.
Falsterbo—Falsterbo G.C. (9); Herr Erik Schweder, Jr., Malmö.
Gothenburg—Gothenburg G.C. (9); Herr V. H. Setterberg, Gothenburg.
Karlscrona—Karlscrona G.C. (9); Herr A. Krook, Karlscrona.
Stockholm—Stockholm G.C. (9); Herr M. Wallenberg, Stockholm.

BELGIUM.

Antwerp—Antwerp G.C. (18); C. F. Magee, 22 Avenue Bosmans, Antwerp.
Brussels—Royal Golf Club de Belgique (18); Campbell Keir, Chateau de Ravenstein, Tervueren.
Knocke-sur-Mer—Knocke G.C. (18); J. C. S. Cameron, The Golf Club, Knocke-sur-Mer, Belgium.
Nieuport Bains—Lombartzyde G.C. (18); Captain Roland Haig.
Ostend—Royal Golf Club de Belgique (18); Secretary, Pavillon du Coq-sur-Mer.

GERMANY.

Bad Nauheim—Bad Nauheim G.C. (9); Honorary Secretary, Park Hotel, Bad Nauheim.
Bad Wildungen—(9); R. Kirchner, Fürstliches, Badehotel, Wildungen.
Baden-Baden—Baden-Baden G.C. (18); Herr Groetz, 1 Kreuz Strasse, Baden Baden.
Berlin—Berliner G.C. (9); Dr. E. D. Barrows, Berlin, W., Königgrätzer-strasse 140.
Bremen—Club zur Vahr (9); Hon., Sec., Langenstrasse 76.
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Dresden—Dresden G.C. (9); Major A. Von Schimpff, Fremdenverein, Dresden.
Hamburg—Hamburger G.C. (9); Dr. Alfred Vorwerk, Bleichenbrucke 10.
Hamburg—Wentorf-Reinbek G.C. (18); W. O. Knoop, Golf Villa, Reinbek.
Homburg—Homburg G.C. (18); General R. W. Duff, Firbank, Ascot, England.
Kiel—Kitzeberg G.C. (9); Rechtsanwalt, W. Theophile, Holstenstrasse 53.
Kissingen—(9); Secretary, Golf Club.
Langenschwalbach—(9); Dr. Stern, Golf Club.
Leipzig—Gaschwitz G.C.; Heinrich Gontard, 70, Jahnstrasse, Leipzig-Plagwitz.
München—Münchener G.C. (9); Honorary Secretary, Leopold, Strasse 11, München.
Oberof—Thuringer G.C.; Rittmeister a. D. Sholto Douglas, Berlin, N.W. 40, Alensstra.
Weisbaden—Weisbaden G.C. (9); Herr Von Lorang.

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Arnheim—Rosendael G.C., near Arnheim (9); Baron von Pallanda, Rosendael, near Arnheim.
Doorn—Doorn G.C., Zeist; W. H. Blanckenhagen, Zeist, Holland.
The Hague Golf Club—Clingendaal (9); A. S. Hurgronje.
Hilversum—Hilversum G.C. (9); C. van Eeghen, Hilversum.
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San Remo—Arma di Taggia (9); Edward A. Cousins, Villa Rocca, San Remo.
Valetta—Malta G.C. (9); Lieut. E. D. Mallinson, R. N., H. M. Dockyard,

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Interlaken—Interlaken G.C. (9); C. R. Blandford.
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Montana—Montana G.C. (18); C. E. Dobbs, Palace Hotel, Montana.
Montreux—Montreux G.C., Aigle (9); W. B. White, Montreux.
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Zurich—Dolder G.C. (9); D. G. Harris.

The Rules of Golf

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PREFACE.

The United States Golf Association, in making these Rulings and Interpretations, has made few changes in the wording, or in the import, of the Rules of Golf, as adopted by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews, and has only added such definitions and explanations as appeared to be called for, or suggested by custom and decisions of competent experts.

The Interpretations and Decisions marked R. & A. have been taken from the decisions as rendered by the Rules of Golf Committee of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club and are used with their permission.

DEFINITIONS.

Side. (1) A "side" consists either of one player or of two players. If one player play against another the match is called "a single." If two play against two, each side playing one ball, the match is called "a foursome." If one play against two playing one ball between them, the match is called a "threesome."

Advice. (2) "Advice" is any counsel or suggestion which could influence a player in determining the line of play, in the choice of a club, or in the method of making a stroke.

A player may ask anyone to indicate the line to the hole before the shot is played. (R. & A.)

Course. (3) The "Course" is the whole area within which play is permitted; more particularly, it is the ground between the holes which is specially prepared for play.

Teeing-ground. (4) The "teeing-ground" is the starting place for a hole. The front of each teeing-ground shall be indicated by two marks placed in a line as nearly as possible at right angles to the line of play, and the teeing ground shall include a rectangular space of the depth of two club lengths directly behind the line indicated by the two marks.

(5) "Through the green" is all ground on which play is permitted, except hazards and the putting-green of the hole that is being played. **Through the green.**

(6) A "hazard" is any bunker, water (except casual water), ditch (unless excepted by Local Rule), bush, sand, path, or road. Sand blown on to the grass, or sprinkled on the course for its preservation, bare patches, sheep tracks, snow, and ice are not hazards. **Hazard.**

Heather is not a hazard. (R. & A.)
Bent is not a hazard. (R. & A.)
Long Grass is not a hazard unless within the boundaries of a hazard. (R. & A.)
A "Bunker" is a depression in the ground where the natural soil is exposed, and sometimes top dressed with softer soil or sand. It is the duty of the Authorities in charge of the golf course to define its hazards by Local Rules. (R. & A.)

(7) "Casual water" is any temporary accumulation of water (whether caused by rainfall, flooding, or otherwise) which is not one of the ordinary and recognized hazards of the course. **Casual water.**

The definition of "water" in the term "Casual water" is any water which interferes with the lie of the ball or the stance of the player. (R. & A.)

(8) "Out of bounds" is all ground on which play is prohibited. **Out of bounds.**

(9) A ball is "out of bounds" when the greater part of it lies within a prohibited area. **Ball, when out of bounds.**

(10) The "putting-green" is all ground, except hazards, within twenty yards of the hole. **Putting green.**

(11) The hole shall be 4¼ inches in diameter, and at least 4 inches deep. If a metal lining be used, it shall be sunk below the lip of the hole, and its outer diameter shall not exceed 4¼ inches. **Hole.**

(12) The term "loose impediments" denotes any obstructions not fixed or growing, and includes dung, worm-casts, mole-hills, snow and ice. **Loose impediments.**

Loose Stones are "Loose Impediments." (R. & A.)
Rocks embedded in the ground come under the head of "things fixed." Rule 15. (R. & A.)
A sand box placed at a teeing-ground is a "loose impediment." (R. & A.)
A live worm is a "loose impediment" and may be lifted. (R. & A.)

(13) A "stroke" is the forward movement of the club made with the intention of striking the ball, or any contact between the head of the club and the **Stroke.**

ball, resulting in movement of the ball, except in case of a ball accidentally knocked off a tee (Rule 2 (1)).

If a ball leaves its original position when the player has taken his stance in addressing the ball and moves in the slightest degree and does not merely oscillate, it has moved, and the movement constitutes a stroke, not a penalty stroke. (R. & A.)

Penalty stroke. (14) A "penalty stroke" is a stroke added to the score of a side under certain rules, and does not affect the rotation of play.

Honour. (15) The side which plays off first from a teeing-ground is said to have the "honour."

Teeing. (16) In "teeing," the ball may be placed on the ground, or on sand or other substance, in order to raise it off the ground.

There is no specified method of placing a ball, and the player is at liberty to drop it. (R. & A.)

Addressing the ball. (17) A player has "addressed the ball" when he has taken his stance and grounded his club, or, if in a hazard, when he has taken his stance preparatory to striking at the ball.

In play. (18) A ball is "in play" as soon as the player has made a stroke at a teeing-ground, and it remains in play until holed out, except when lifted in accordance with the rules.

Ball deemed to move. (19) A ball is deemed to "move" if it leave its original position in the least degree; but it is not considered to "move" if it merely oscillate and come to rest in its original position.

Ball, lost. (20) A ball is "lost" if it be not found within five minutes after the search for it has begun.

Terms used in reckoning game. (21) The reckoning of strokes is kept by the terms—"the odd," "two more," "three more," etc., and "one off three," "one off two," "the like." The reckoning of holes is kept by the terms—so many "holes up," or "all even," and so many "to play."

A side is said to be "dormie" when it is as many holes up as there are holes remaining to be played.

Umpire and Referee. (22) An "umpire" decides questions of fact; a "referee" decides questions of Golfing Law.

GENERAL AND THROUGH THE GREEN.

RULE I.

Mode of play. (1) "The Game of Golf is played by two sides, each playing its own ball, with clubs made in con-

formity with the directions laid down in the clause on the 'Form and Make of Golf Clubs'."

The game consists in each side playing a ball from a teeing-ground into a hole by successive strokes. The hole is won by the side which holes its ball in fewer strokes than the opposing side, except as otherwise provided for in the Rules.

The hole is halved if both sides hole out in the same number of strokes.

Conditions of match.

(2) A match consists of one round of the course unless it be otherwise agreed. A match is won by the side which is leading by a number of holes greater than the number of holes remaining to be played.

A match is halved if each side win the same number of holes.

Priority on the course.

Matches constituted of singles, threesomes, or foursomes shall have precedence of and be entitled to pass any other kind of match.

A single player has no standing, and shall always give way to a match of any kind.

Any match playing a whole round shall be entitled to pass a match playing a shorter round.

If a match fail to keep its place on the green, and lose in distance more than one clear hole on the players in front, it may be passed, on request being made.

Two players playing a single ball are treated as a single player. (R. & A.)

RULE II.

Priority on the teeing-ground.

(1) A match begins by each side playing a ball from the first teeing-ground.

A ball played from outside the limits of the teeing-ground may be at once recalled by the opposing side, and may be re-teed without penalty.

If a ball, when not in play, fall off a tee, or be knocked off a tee by the player in addressing it, it may be re-teed without penalty; if the ball be struck when so moving, no penalty shall be incurred.

In Stroke Competition if a competitor play his first stroke from outside the limits of the teeing ground, he shall count that stroke, tee a ball, and play his second stroke from within these limits. The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be disqualification. (R. & A.)

The honour.

(2) The option of taking the honour at the first teeing-ground shall, if necessary, be decided by lot.

A ball played by a player when his opponent should have had the honour may be at once recalled by the opposing side, and may be re-teed without penalty.

The side which wins a hole shall take the honour at the next teeing-ground. If a hole has been halved, the side which had the honour at the previous teeing-ground shall retain it.

On beginning a new match, the winner of the long match in the previous round shall take the honour; if the previous long match was halved, the side which last won a hole shall take the honour.

RULE III.

Order of play in threesome and foursome.

In a threesome or foursome the partners shall strike off alternately from the teeing-grounds, and shall strike alternately during the play of each hole.

If a player play when his partner should have played, his side shall lose the hole.

In Stroke Competition violation of this Rule is disqualification. (R. & A.)
In Match Play, loss of the hole. (R. & A.)
A penalty stroke does not affect the rotation of play. (R. & A.)

RULE IV.

Asking advice.

(1) A player may not ask for nor willingly receive advice from any one except his own caddie, his partner or his partner's caddie.

Information as to strokes played.

(2) A player is entitled at any time during the play of a hole to ascertain from his opponent the number of strokes the latter has played; if the opponent give wrong information as to the number of strokes he has played, he shall lose the hole unless he correct his mistake before the player has played another stroke.

An exception to this Rule is that anyone can indicate the line to the hole. (R. & A.)
In Stroke Competition the penalty is disqualification. (R. & A.)
In Match Play the penalty is the loss of the hole. (R. & A.)

Advice from forecaddie.

(3) A player may employ a forecaddie, but may not receive advice from him.

In Match Play the penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole.
In Stroke Competition the penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be disqualification.

(4) When playing through the green, or from a hazard, a player may have the line to the hole indicated to him, but no mark shall be placed, nor shall anyone stand on the proposed line, in order to indicate it, while the stroke is being made. **Indicating line of play.**

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play.
The penalty for a breach of this rule in Stroke Competition shall be the loss of two strokes.

RULE V.

The ball must be fairly struck at with the head of the club, not pushed, scraped nor spooned. **Ball to be fairly struck at.**

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play.
The penalty for a breach of this rule in Stroke Competition shall be two strokes.

RULE VI.

A ball must be played wherever it lies or the hole be given up, except as otherwise provided for in the Rules and Local Rules. **Ball played wherever it lies**

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition. (See Rule 2, Stroke Competition.)

RULE VII.

When the balls are in play, the ball farther from the hole shall be played first. Through the green, or in a hazard, if a player play when his opponent should have played, the opponent may at once recall the stroke. A ball so recalled shall be dropped as near as possible to the place where it lay, without penalty. **The ball farther from hole played first.**

For teeing ground, see Rule 2 (2); for putting green, see Rule 31 (2).

RULE VIII.

A ball shall be dropped in the following manner: The player himself shall drop it. He shall face the hole, stand erect, and drop the ball behind him over his shoulder. **How to drop a ball.**

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

If, in the act of dropping, the ball touch the player, he shall incur no penalty, and, if it roll into

a hazard, the player may re-drop the ball without penalty.

RULE IX.

Ball not to be touched except in addressing, for identification.

(1) A ball in play may not be touched before the hole is played out, except as provided for in the Rules.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be one stroke in Match or Stroke Competition.

The player may, without penalty, touch his ball with his club in the act of addressing it, provided he does not move the ball. A ball in play may, with the opponent's consent, be lifted for the purpose of identification, but it must be carefully replaced.

If in searching for a ball a player or his caddie move it, the penalty is the loss of one stroke in Match or Stroke Play. (R. & A.)

Ball moved by opponent's ball.

(2) If the player's ball move the opponent's ball through the green, or in a hazard, the opponent, if he choose, may drop a ball, without penalty, as near as possible to the place where his ball lay, but this must be done before another stroke is played by either side.

RULE X.

Removal of irregularities of surface.

In playing through the green, irregularities of surface which could in any way affect the player's stroke shall not be removed nor pressed down by the player, his partner or either of their caddies; a player is, however, always entitled to place his feet firmly on the ground when taking his stance.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

RULE XI.

Removal of obstructions.

Any flag-stick, guide-flag, movable guide-post, wheelbarrow, tool, roller, grass-cutter, box, vehicle or similar obstruction may be removed. A ball moved in removing such an obstruction shall be replaced without penalty. A ball lying on or touching such an obstruction, or lying on or touching clothes, or nets, or ground under repair or covered up or opened for the purpose of the upkeep of the course, or lying in one of the holes, or in a guide-flag hole, or in a hole made by the greenkeeper, may be lifted and dropped without penalty as near

as possible to the place where it lay, but not nearer to the hole. A ball lifted in a hazard under such circumstances shall be dropped in the hazard.

If a ball lie on or within a club's length of a drain-cover, water-pipe or hydrant, located on the course, it may be lifted and dropped without penalty, as near as possible to the place where it lay, but not nearer the hole—as near as possible shall mean—"within a club's length." If it be impossible for want of space or other cause for a player to drop the ball in conformity with this interpretation, he shall place the ball as nearly as possible within the limits laid down in this interpretation, but not nearer the hole. (U. S. G. A.)

A pile or mound of cut grass resulting from the mowing of the course or any other material piled for removal is considered to be upkeep. A ball lodging in or lying on such an obstruction may be lifted and dropped without penalty. (U. S. G. A.)

RULE XII.

Removal of loose impediments.

(1) Any loose impediment lying within a club length of the ball and not being in or touching a hazard may be removed without penalty; if the ball move after any such loose impediment has been touched by the player, his partner, or either of their caddies, the player shall be deemed to have caused the ball to move and the penalty shall be one stroke in both Match and Stroke Competition.

(2) A loose impediment lying more than a club length from the ball may not be moved under penalty of the loss of the hole in Match Play and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition, unless the loose impediment lie on the putting green. (See Rule 28 (1).)

Ball accidentally moved.

(3) When a ball is in play, if a player, or his partner, or either of their caddies, accidentally move his or their ball, or by touching anything cause it to move, the penalty shall be one stroke in both Match and Stroke Competition.

Ball moving after grounded.

(4) If a ball in play move after the player has grounded his club in the act of addressing it, or, if a ball in play being in a hazard move after the player has taken his stance to play it, he shall be deemed to have caused it to move, and the penalty shall be one stroke in both Match and Stroke Competition.

NOTE.—If the player has lifted a loose impediment, see Rules 12 (1) and 28 (1), and the ball has not moved until the player has grounded his

club, he shall only be deemed to have caused the ball to move under Section (4) of this Rule, and the penalty shall be one stroke in both Match and Stroke Competition.

A mole-hill or mole-track may be removed from the fair green in any way which will not unnecessarily interfere with the surface of the green. (U. S. G. A.)

RULE XIII.

Playing a moving ball.

A player shall not play while his ball is moving, under the penalty of the loss of the hole in Match Play and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition, except in the case of a teed ball (Rule 2), or a ball struck twice (Rule 14), or a ball in water (Rule 26).

When the ball only begins to move while the player is making his backward or forward swing, he shall incur no penalty under this Rule, but he is not exempted from the provisions of Rule 12 (1), or Rule 28 (1), and of Rule 12 (3) and (4).

RULE XIV.

Striking ball twice.

If a player, when making a stroke, in both Match and Stroke Competition, strike the ball twice, the penalty shall be one stroke, but he shall incur no further penalty by reason of his having played while his ball was moving.

RULE XV.

Moving or bending fixed or growing objects.

Before striking at a ball in play, a player shall not move, bend, nor break anything fixed or growing, except so far as is necessary to enable him fairly to take his stance in addressing the ball, or in making his backward or forward swing. The club may only be grounded lightly, and not pressed on the ground.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

A player may take a practice swing or swings after the ball is in play, more than a club's length from the ball. (U. S. G. A.)

In grounding a club, a player may only ground his club lightly. Drawing it back and forward across the line of play is illegal and entails a penalty of the loss of the hole in Match Play and a penalty of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

Undue pressure in grounding a club entails a like penalty. (R. & A.)

RULE XVI.

When the balls lie within a club length of each other through the green or in a hazard, the ball lying nearer to the hole may, at the option of either the player or the opponent, be lifted until the other ball is played, and shall then be replaced as near as possible to the place where it lay. **Balls within a club length of each other.**

If either ball be accidentally moved in complying with this Rule, no penalty shall be incurred, and the ball so moved shall be replaced.

If the lie of the lifted ball be altered in playing the other ball, the lifted ball may be placed as near as possible to the place where it lay and in a lie similar to that which it originally occupied.

RULE XVII.

(1) If a ball *in motion* be stopped or deflected by any agency outside the match, or by a forecaddie, it is a rub of the green, and the ball shall be played from the spot where it lies. **Moving ball stopped.**

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

(2) If a ball lodge in *anything moving*, a ball shall be dropped, or if on the putting-green, placed, as near as possible to the place where the object was when the ball lodged in it, without penalty. **Ball lodging in anything moving.**

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

(3) If a ball *at rest* be displaced by any agency outside the match, except wind, the player shall drop a ball as near as possible to the place where it lay, without penalty; and if the ball be displaced on the putting-green, it shall be replaced without penalty. **Ball at rest displaced by outside agency.**

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

RULE XVIII.

If a player's ball, when in motion, be interfered with in any way by an opponent, or his caddie, or his clubs, the opponent's side shall lose the hole. **Ball interfered with by opponent, etc.**

If a player's ball, when at rest, be moved by an opponent, or his caddie or his clubs, the

opponent's side shall lose the hole, except as provided for in Rules 9 (2), 16, 22 (3), 31 (1), 32 (2), and 33.

RULE XIX.

Ball striking the player, etc.

If a player's ball strike, or be stopped by himself, or his partner, or either of their caddies or their clubs, his side shall lose the hole in Match Play, and the loss of one stroke in Stroke Competition, except as provided for in Stroke Rule 13 (1).

RULE XX.

Playing opponent's ball.

(1) If a player play the opponent's ball his side shall lose the hole in Match Play unless:

(*a*) The opponent then play the player's ball, in which case the penalty is cancelled in Match Play, and the hole shall be played out with the balls thus exchanged.

(*b*) The mistake occur through wrong information given by an opponent or his caddie, in which case there shall be no penalty in Match Play; if the mistake be discovered before the opponent has played, it shall be rectified by dropping a ball as near as possible to the place where the opponent's ball lay.

In Stroke Competition, if a Competitor play a stroke with a ball other than his own, he shall incur no penalty, provided that he then plays his own ball, but if he plays two consecutive strokes with a wrong ball, he shall be disqualified.

In a hazard, if a Competitor play more than one stroke with a ball other than his own, and the mistake be discovered before he has played a stroke with the wrong ball from outside the limits of the hazard, he shall incur no penalty provided he then plays his own ball. The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be disqualification. (See Rule 8, Rules for play in Stroke Competition.)

On the putting-green the ball shall be replaced.

Playing ball outside the match.

(2) If a player in Match Play play a stroke with the ball of anyone not engaged in the match, and the mistake be discovered and intimated to his opponent before his opponent has played his next stroke, there shall be no penalty; if the mistake be not discovered and so intimated until after the opponent has played his next stroke, the player's side shall lose the hole.

RULE XXI.

Ball lost.

If a ball be "lost," except in water, casual water, or out of bounds, the player's side shall lose the

hole, unless it is afterwards discovered that the opponent's ball is also lost, when the hole shall be halved.

In Stroke Competition see Rule 12, Rules for Stroke Competition.

RULE XXII.

Looking for ball in bent, etc.

(1) If a ball lie in fog, bent, bushes, long grass, or the like, only so much thereof shall be touched as will enable the player to find his ball.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of a stroke in both Match Play and Stroke Competition.

In sand.

(2) If a ball be completely covered by sand, only so much thereof may be removed as will enable the player to see the top of the ball; if the ball be touched in removing the sand, no penalty shall be incurred.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

Accidentally moved by opponent in search.

(3) If a player or his caddie when searching for an opponent's ball accidentally touch or move it, no penalty shall be incurred, and the ball, if moved, shall be replaced.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

RULE XXIII.

Ball out of bounds.

(1) If a ball lie out of bounds, the player shall play his next stroke as nearly as possible at the spot from which the ball which is out of bounds was played. If the ball was played out of bounds from the teeing-ground the player may tee a ball for his next stroke; in every other case the ball shall be dropped.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and disqualification in Stroke Competition.

If it is doubtful that a ball be out of bounds, the player who played it is not entitled to presume that it is out of bounds until he has made a search of five minutes for it. Meanwhile his opponent may make a search of five minutes for the ball within bounds, and if the ball is not found within that time, the player who struck the ball shall be given the benefit of the doubt, and the ball shall be considered "out of bounds." (U. S. G. A.)

Provisional bal played.

(2) In order to save delay, if a player after making a stroke be doubtful whether his ball is out of

bounds or not, he may play another ball as provided for in paragraph (1) of this Rule, but if it be discovered that the first ball is not out of bounds, it shall continue in play without penalty.

On reaching the place where the first ball is likely to be, if the player or his opponent be still in doubt, the player is not entitled to presume that the first ball is out of bounds till he has made a search of five minutes.

Ascertaining location of ball.

(3) A player has the right at any time of ascertaining whether his opponent's ball is out of bounds or not, before his opponent can compel him to continue his play.

Standing out of bounds.

(4) A player may stand out of bounds to play a ball lying within bounds.

RULE XXIV.

Ball unfit for play.

If a ball split into separate pieces, another ball may be dropped where any piece lies. If a ball crack or becomes unfit for play, the player may change it on intimating to his opponent his intention to do so. Mud adhering to a ball shall not be considered as making it unfit for play.

Cleaning a ball when in play entails a penalty of disqualification in Stroke Competition and the loss of the hole in Match Play, except under special rulings of Local Rules by Committee in charge. (U. S. G. A.)

HAZARDS AND CASUAL WATER.

RULE XXV.

Conditions of play in hazards.

When a ball lies in or touches a hazard, nothing shall be done which can in any way improve its lie; the club shall not touch the ground, nor shall anything be touched or moved, before the player strikes at the ball, subject to the following exceptions: (1) The player may place his feet firmly on the ground for the purpose of taking his stance; (2) in addressing the ball, or in the backward or forward swing, any grass, bent, bush, or other growing substance, or the side of a bunker, wall, paling, or other immovable obstacle may be touched; (3) steps or planks placed in a hazard by the Green Committee for access to or egress from such hazard, or any obstruction mentioned in Rule 11, may be removed, and if a ball be moved in so doing, it shall be replaced without penalty; (4) any loose

impediment may be lifted from the putting-green; (5) the player shall be entitled to find his ball as provided for by Rule 22.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

A recognized water hazard cannot be "out of bounds." (R. & A.)

RULE XXVI.

Ball moving in water.

When a ball is in water, a player may, without penalty, strike at it while it is moving, but he must not delay to make his stroke in order to allow the wind or current to better the position of the ball, under penalty of the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

RULE XXVII.

Ball in water hazard.

Ball in casual water in hazard.

(1) If a ball lie or be lost in a recognized water hazard (whether the ball lie in water or not), or in casual water in a hazard, the player may drop a ball under penalty of one stroke in Match Play or Stroke Competition, either (*a*) behind the hazard, keeping the spot at which the ball crossed the margin of the hazard between himself and the hole, or (*b*) in the hazard, keeping the spot at which the ball entered the water between himself and the hole.

Ice on the putting-green or through the green is considered "casual water." (R. & A.)

Ball in casual water through the green.

(2) If a ball lie or be lost in casual water through the green, the player may drop a ball without penalty within two club lengths of the margin, as near as possible to the spot where the ball lay, but not nearer to the hole.

If a ball when dropped roll into the water, it may be redropped without penalty.

Ball in casual water on the putting green.

(3) If a ball on the putting-green lie in casual water, or if casual water intervene between a ball lying on the putting-green and the hole, the ball may be played where it lies, or it may be lifted without penalty and placed by hand, either within two club lengths directly behind the spot from which the ball was lifted, or in the nearest position to that spot which is not nearer to the hole and which affords a putt to the hole without casual water intervening.

Water interfering with stance.

(4) A ball lying so near the casual water that the water interferes with the player's stance may be treated as if it lay in casual water, under the preceding Section of this Rule.

Want of space to drop.

(5) If it be impossible, from want of space in which to play, or from any other cause, for a player to drop a ball in conformity with Sections (1) and (2) of this Rule, or to place it in conformity with Section (3), he shall "drop" or "place" as nearly as possible within the limits laid down in these Sections, but not nearer to the hole.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

PUTTING GREEN.

RULE XXVIII.

Removal of loose impediments.

(1) Any loose impediment may be lifted from the putting-green, irrespective of the position of the player's ball. If the player's ball, when on the putting-green, move after any loose impediment lying within six inches of it has been touched by the player, his partner, or either of their caddies, the player shall be deemed to have caused it to move and the penalty shall be one stroke, in both Match Play and Stroke Competition.

Removal of dung, etc.

(2) Dung, wormcasts, snow and ice may be scraped aside with a club, but the club must not be laid with more than its own weight upon the ground, nor must anything be pressed down either with the club or in any other way.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule in Match Play is the loss of the hole, and in Stroke Competition the loss of two strokes.

Under Rule 28 (1) the hand may in all cases be used to lift "Loose Impediments." In the case of certain "Loose Impediments" specified in Rule 28 (2), it is also permissible to make use of a club in order to scrape them aside. As loose leaves are not among these impediments specified in Rule 28 (2), they must be lifted. (R. & A.)

Touching line to putt.

(3) The line of the putt must not be touched, except by placing the club immediately in front of the ball in the act of addressing it, and as above authorized.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

It is not permissible to touch the ground behind the hole in order to point out the line of a putt. (R. & A.)

RULE XXIX.

Direction for putting.

(1) When the player's ball is on the putting-green, the player's caddie, his partner, or his partner's caddie may, before the stroke is played, point out the direction for putting, but in doing this they shall not touch the ground on the proposed line of the putt. No mark shall be placed anywhere on the putting-green.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

Shielding ball from wind.

(2) Any player or caddie engaged in the match may stand at the hole, but no player or caddie shall endeavor, by moving or otherwise, to influence the action of the wind upon the ball.

A player is, however, always entitled to send his own caddie to stand at the hole while he plays his stroke.

Either side may refuse to allow a person who is not engaged in the match to stand at the hole.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

RULE XXX.

Opponent's ball to be at rest.

When the player's ball lies on the putting-green, he shall not play until the opponent's ball is at rest.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

RULE XXXI.

Ball within six inches lifted.

(1) When the balls lie within six inches of each other on the putting-green (the distance to be measured from their nearest points), the ball lying nearer to the hole may, at the option of either the player or the opponent, be lifted until the other ball is played, and the lifted ball shall then be replaced as near as possible to the place where it lay.

If either ball be accidentally moved in complying with this Rule, no penalty shall be incurred, and the ball so moved shall be replaced.

A player is laid a stymie if on the putting-green the opponent's ball lies in the line of his putt to the hole, provided the balls be not within six inches of each other.

Playing out of turn.

(2) On the putting-green, if a player play when his opponent should have played, the stroke may

be at once recalled by the opponent, and the ball replaced.

NOTE.—For a ball which is displaced on a putting-green see Rule 17 (2) and (3). For a player playing the opponent's ball on the putting-green see Rule 20 (1). For casual water on a putting-green see Rule 27 (3).

Casual water.

RULE XXXII.

Removal of flag-stick.

(1) Either side is entitled to have the flag-stick removed when approaching the hole; if a player's ball strike the flag-stick, which has been so removed by himself, or his partner, or either of their caddies, his side shall lose the hole in Match Play, and the loss of two strokes in Stroke Competition.

If the ball rest against the flag-stick which is in the hole, the player shall be entitled to remove the flag-stick, and, if the ball fall into the hole, the player shall be deemed to have holed out at his last stroke.

In Stroke Competition when a ball lying within 20 yards of the hole is played and strikes, or is stopped by the flag-stick or the person standing at the hole, the penalty shall be two strokes. (R. & A.)

Displacing and replacing of balls.

(2) If the player's ball knock the opponent's ball into the hole, the opponent shall be deemed to have holed out at his last stroke.

If the player's ball move the opponent's ball, the opponent, if he choose, may replace it, but this must be done before another stroke is played by either side.

If the player's ball stop on the spot formerly occupied by the opponent's ball, and the opponent declare his intention to replace his ball, the player shall first play another stroke, after which the opponent shall replace and play his ball.

See Rule 13. Rules for Stroke Competitions for penalty in Stroke Competitions.

Ball on lip of hole.

(3) If the player has holed out and the opponent then plays to the lip of the hole, the player may not knock the ball away, but the opponent, if asked, shall play his next stroke without delay. The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be the loss of the hole.

If the opponent's ball lie on the lip of the hole, the player, after holing out, may knock the ball

away, claiming the hole if holing at the like, and the half if holing at the odd, provided that the player's ball does not strike the opponent's ball and set it in motion; if the player neglect to knock away the opponent's ball, and it fall into the hole, the opponent shall be deemed to have holed out at his last stroke.

RULE XXXIII.

Penalty of loss of hole qualified by half previously gained.

When a player has holed out and his opponent has been left with a stroke for the half, nothing that the player who has holed out can do shall deprive him of the half which he has already gained.

GENERAL PENALTY.

RULE XXXIV.

Loss of the hole.

Where no penalty for the breach of a Rule is stated, the penalty shall be the loss of the hole.

DISPUTES.

RULE XXXV.

Duties of umpire or referee.

An umpire or referee, see definition 22, when appointed, shall take cognizance of any breach of rule that he may observe, whether he be appealed to on the point or not.

RULE XXXVI.

Claims, when and how made.

If a dispute arise on any point, a claim must be made before the players strike off from the next teeing-ground, or, in the case of the last hole of the round, before they leave the putting-green. If no umpire or referee has been appointed, the players have the right of determining to whom the point shall be referred, but should they not agree, either side may have it referred officially through the secretary of the club, to the Executive Committee of the United States Golf Association, whose decision shall be final. If the point in dispute be not covered by the Rules of Golf, the arbiters shall decide it by equity.

If the players have agreed to an umpire or referee, they must abide by his decision.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR LOCAL RULES.

Special hazards or conditions.

When necessary, local rules should be made for such obstructions as rushes, trees, hedges, fixed

seats, fences, gates, railways, and walls, for such difficulties as rabbit scrapes, hoof marks and other damage caused to the course by animals, for such local conditions as the existence of mud which may be held to interfere with the proper playing of the game and for the penalty to be imposed in the case of a ball which lies out of bounds.

Ball: when dropped, when placed.

When a ball is lifted under a local rule, as in the case of a ball lifted from a putting-green other than that of the hole which is being played, the Rules of Golf Committee recommends that if it is to be played from "through the green" it should be *dropped*; if it is to be played on the putting-green of the hole that is being played, it should be *placed*.

FORM AND MAKE OF GOLF CLUBS.

The United States Golf Association will not sanction any substantial departure from the traditional and accepted form and make of golf clubs, which, in its opinion, consists of a plain shaft and a head which does not contain any mechanical contrivance, such as springs.* It also regards as illegal the use of such clubs as those of the mallet-headed type, or such clubs as have the neck so bent as to produce a similar effect.

The shaft of a putter may be fixed at the heel or at any other point in the head.

The term mallet-headed, as above used, when applied to putters does not embrace putters of the so-called Schenectady type. (U. S. G. A.)

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* The use of Spalding's Hollow Steel-Faced Clubs is permitted.

Etiquette of Golf

1. No one should stand close to or directly behind the ball, move, or talk, when a player is making a stroke.

On the putting-green no one should stand beyond the hole in the line of a player's stroke.

2. The player who has the honour should be allowed to play before his opponent tees his ball.

3. No player should play from the tee until the party in front have played their second strokes and are out of range, nor play up to the putting-green till the party in front have holed out and moved away.

4. Players who have holed out should not try their putts over again when other players are following them.

5. Players looking for a lost ball should allow other matches coming up to pass them; they should signal to the players following them to pass, and having given such a signal, they should not continue their play until these players have passed and are out of reach.

6. Turf cut or displaced by a player should be at once replaced and pressed down with the foot.

7. A player should carefully fill up all holes made by himself in a bunker.

8. Players should see that their caddies do not injure the holes by standing close to them when the ground is soft.

9. A player who has incurred a penalty stroke should intimate the fact to his opponent as soon as possible.

Special Rules for Match Play Competitions

RULE I.

On the putting-green, if the competitor whose ball is the nearer to the hole play first, his ball shall be at once replaced.

The penalty for a breach of this rule shall be the disqualification of both competitors.

RULE II.

A competitor shall not waive any penalty incurred by his opponent, under penalty of the loss of the hole.

RULE III.

Competitors shall not agree to exclude the operation of any Rule, or Local Rule, under penalty of disqualification.

The Rules of Golf Committee recommends that players should not concede putts to their opponents.

The Executive Committee of the United States Golf Association recommends that in Match Play, singles, three-fourths of the difference between the handicaps be allowed, and that in Match Play, foursomes, three-eighths of the difference of the combined handicaps be allowed.

Rules for Three-Ball, Best Ball, and Four-Ball Matches

DEFINITIONS.

(1) When three players play against each other, each playing his own ball, the match is called a three-ball match.

(2) When one player plays his ball against the best ball of two or more players, the match is called a best ball match.

(3) When two players play their better ball against the better ball of two other players, the match is called a four-ball match.

GENERAL.

RULE I.

Any player may have any ball in the match lifted or played, at the option of its owner, if he consider that it might interfere with or be of assistance to a player or side, but this should only be done before the player has played his stroke.

RULE II.

If a player's ball move any other ball in the match, the moved ball must be replaced as near as possible to the spot where it lay, without penalty.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule is the loss of the hole in Match Play and disqualification in Stroke Competition.

RULE III.

Through the green a player shall incur no penalty for playing when an opponent should have done so, and the stroke shall not be recalled.

On the putting-green the stroke may be recalled by an opponent, but no penalty shall be incurred.

THREE-BALL MATCHES.

RULE IV.

During a three-ball match if no player is entitled at a teeing-ground to claim the honour from both opponents, the same order of striking shall be followed as at the last teeing-ground.

RULE V.

In a three-ball match, if a player's ball strike, or be stopped, or moved by an opponent or an opponent's caddie, or clubs, that opponent shall lose the hole to the player. As regards the other opponent the occurrence shall be treated as a rub of the green.

BEST BALL AND FOUR-BALL MATCHES.

RULE VI.

Balls belonging to the same side may be played in the order the side deems best.

RULE VII.

If a player's ball strike, or be stopped, or moved by an opponent or an opponent's caddie, or clubs, the opponent's side shall lose the hole in Match Play.

In Stroke Competition it is a Rub of the green, and the ball shall be played from where it lies except as provided for in Stroke Rule 13 (1). See Stroke Rule 10 (1).

RULE VIII.

If a player's ball (the player being one of a side) strike or be stopped by himself, or his partner, or either of their caddies or clubs, only that player shall be disqualified for that hole.

RULE IX.

If a player play a stroke with his partner's ball, and the mistake be discovered and intimated to the other side before an opponent has played another stroke, the player shall be disqualified for that hole, and his partner shall drop a ball as near as possible to the spot from which his ball was played, without penalty. If the mistake be not discovered till after the opponent has played a stroke, the player's side shall lose the hole in Match Play and the player who violated this rule shall be disqualified for that hole in Stroke Competition.

RULE X.

In all other cases where a player would by the Rules of Golf incur the loss of the hole, he shall be disqualified for that hole, but the disqualification shall not apply to his partner.

Special Rules for Stroke Competitions

RULES FOR THE CONDUCT OF STROKE COMPETITIONS.

Wherever the word Committee is used in these Rules, it refers to the Committee in charge of the Competition. **Committee defined.**

RULE I.

(1) In Stroke Competitions the competitor who holes the stipulated round or rounds in the fewest strokes shall be the winner. **The winner.**

The Rules of Golf Committee is of opinion that it is hardly possible to play Match and Score Play at the same time in a satisfactory manner, or without infringing Rules. (R. & A.)

(2) Competitors shall play in couples; if from any cause there be a single competitor, the Committee shall either provide him with a player who shall mark for him, or select a marker for him and allow him to compete alone. The order and times of starting should, when possible, be determined by ballot. **Order of play.**

Stroke Rule 1 (2) does not permit more than two competitors to play together. (R. & A.)

RULE II.

(1) Competitors shall start in the order and at the times arranged by the Committee. They shall not discontinue play nor delay to start on account of bad weather, or for any other reason whatever, except such as the Committee may consider satisfactory. **Not to discontinue play in bad weather.**

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be disqualification.

(2) If the Committee consider that the course is not in a playable condition, or that insufficient light renders the proper playing of the game impossible, it shall at any time have power to declare the day's play null and void. **Course unplayable.**

RULE III.

Ties, how and when decided.

If the lowest scores be made by two or more competitors, the tie or ties shall be decided by another round to be played on the same day; but if the Committee determine that this is inexpedient or impossible, it shall appoint a day and time for the decision of the tie or ties.

Should an uneven number of competitors tie, their names shall be drawn by ballot and placed upon a list; the competitors shall then play in couples in the order in which their names appear. The single competitor shall be provided for by the Committee, either under Rule 1 (2), or by allowing three competitors to play together, if their unanimous consent has been obtained.

RULE IV.

New holes.

(1) New holes should be made on the day on which Stroke Competitions begin.

ractice on day of competition.

(2) On the day of the competition, before starting, no competitor shall play on, or on to, any of the putting-greens, nor shall he intentionally play at any hole of the stipulated round which is within his reach, under penalty of disqualification.

When a Competition is continued on two or more days, Competitors who practice on the second or following days cannot be deemed to have infringed Stroke Rule 4 (2), which refers to play "before starting," i. e., before the player starts in the Competition. (R. & A.)

RULE V.

The scores, how kept.

(1) The score for each hole shall be kept by a marker or by each competitor noting the other's score. Should more than one marker keep a score, each shall sign the part of the score for which he is responsible. The scores should be called out after each hole. On completion of the stipulated round the card shall be signed by the person who has marked it, and the competitor shall see that it is handed in as soon as reasonably possible. The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be disqualification.

Scoring cards should be issued with the date and the player's name entered on the card.

A caddie cannot be considered a "marker." Under urgent and exceptional conditions, however, the Committee may alter this interpretation. (R. & A.)

Marking and addition of scores.

(2) Competitors must satisfy themselves before the cards are handed in that the scores for each hole are correctly marked, as no alteration can be made on any card after it has been returned. If it be found that a competitor has returned a score lower than that actually played, he shall be disqualified. For the additions of the scores marked the Committee shall be responsible.

Committee to decide doubtful penalties.

(3) If, on the completion of the stipulated round, a player is doubtful whether he has incurred a penalty at any hole, he may enclose his scoring card with a written statement of the circumstances to the Committee, who shall decide what penalty, if any, has been incurred.

RULES FOR PLAY IN STROKE COMPETITIONS.

RULE VI.

Advice.

A competitor shall not ask for nor willingly receive advice from anyone except his caddie.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be disqualification.

RULE VII.

Order of starting—the honour.

(1) Competitors should strike off from the first teeing ground in the order in which their names appear upon the starting list. Thereafter the honour shall be taken as in match play, but if a competitor, by mistake, play out of turn, no penalty shall be incurred, and the stroke cannot be recalled.

Playing outside limits of teeing ground.

(2) If at any hole a competitor play his first stroke from outside the limits of the teeing ground, he shall count that stroke, tee a ball, and play his second stroke from within these limits.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be disqualification.

RULE VIII.

Must hole out with own ball.

(1) A competitor must hole out with his own ball at every hole. The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be disqualification.

Playing two consecutive strokes with wrong ball.

(2) If a competitor play a stroke with a ball other than his own he shall incur no penalty provided he then play his own ball; but if he plays two

consecutive strokes with a wrong ball, he shall be disqualified.

Exception in hazards.

(3) In a hazard if a competitor play more than one stroke with a ball other than his own, and the mistake be discovered before he has played a stroke with the wrong ball from outside the limits of the hazard, he shall incur no penalty provided he then play his own ball.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be disqualification.

RULE IX.

Ball striking the player.

If a competitor's ball strike or be stopped by himself, his clubs or his caddie, the penalty shall be one stroke, except as provided for in Stroke Rule 13 (1).

RULE X.

Ball striking or moved by another competitor.

(1) If a competitor's ball strike or be stopped by another competitor, or his clubs, or his caddie, it is a rub of the green, and the ball shall be played from where it lies, except as provided for in Stroke Rule 13 (1). If a competitor's ball which is at rest be accidentally moved by another competitor, or his caddie, or his clubs, or his ball, or any outside agency except wind, it shall be replaced as near as possible to the spot where it lay.

The penalty for a breach of this Rule shall be disqualification.

Allowed to lift another competitor's ball.

(2) A competitor may have any other player's ball played or lifted, at the option of its owner, if he finds that it interferes with his play.

RULE XI.

Lifting ball under two strokes penalty.

(1) A ball may be lifted from any place on the course under penalty of two strokes. If a player lift a ball in accordance with this rule, he shall tee and play a ball behind the place from which the ball was lifted; if this be impossible, he shall tee and play a ball as near as possible to the place from which the ball was lifted, but not nearer to the hole.

In preparing a tee as above authorized, the player is exempted from the restrictions imposed by Rule 15.

The penalty for a breach of this Section of the Rule shall be disqualification.

(2) For the purpose of identification, a competitor may at any time lift and carefully replace his ball in the presence of the player with whom he is competing. **Lifting for identification.**

The penalty for a breach of this Section of the Rule shall be one stroke.

RULE XII.

If a ball be "lost" (except in water, casual water or out of bounds), the competitor shall, whether he has played from "through the green" or from a hazard, return as near as possible to the spot from which the ball was struck, and there tee a ball under penalty of one stroke. **Ball lost.**

[Under this Rule a ball shall only be considered lost, when it has not been found after a search of five minutes.]

It is usual to frame Local Rules for Special Hazards in the following way, viz: "If a ball lie or be lost in, etc.," or to treat the hazard as "out of bounds." (R. & A.)

RULE XIII.

(1) When a competitor's ball lying within twenty yards of the hole is played and strikes or is stopped by the flag-stick or the person standing at the hole, the penalty shall be two strokes. **Play within 20 yards of hole. Ball striking flag-stick, etc.**

Neglect on the part of the person standing at the hole does not exempt the Competitor from incurring the penalty. (R. & A.)

(2) When both balls are on the putting-green, if a competitor's ball strike the ball of the player with whom he is competing, the competitor shall incur a penalty of one stroke, and the ball which was struck shall be at once replaced; see Stroke Rule 10 (1). **Ball striking fellow-competitor's ball.**

(3) The competitor whose ball is the farther from the hole may have the ball which is nearer to the hole lifted or played at the option of its owner. If the latter refuse to comply with this Rule when requested to do so, he shall be disqualified. **Nearer ball may be lifted.**

(4) If the competitor whose ball is the nearer to the hole consider that his ball might be of assistance to the player with whom he is competing, he should lift it or play first. **Ball nearer hole of assistance to player.**

(5) If the competitor whose ball is the nearer to the hole lift his ball while the player's ball is in motion, he shall incur a penalty of one stroke. **Ball lifted when player's ball is in motion.**

all lifted before holed out.

(6) If a competitor or his caddie pick up his ball from the putting-green before it is holed out (except as provided for above), he shall, before he has struck off from the next tee, or, in the case of the last hole on the ground, before he has left the putting-green, be permitted to replace the ball under penalty of two strokes.

RULE XIV.

eneral penalty.

Where in the Rules of Golf the penalty for the breach of any Rule is the loss of the hole, in stroke competitions the penalty shall be the loss of two strokes, except where otherwise provided for in these Special Rules.

RULE XV.

General rule.

The Rules of Golf, so far as they are not at variance with these Special Rules, shall apply to stroke competitions.

RULE XVI.

Disputes, how decided.

If a dispute arise on any point it shall be decided by the Committee, whose decision shall be final, unless an appeal be made to the Executive Committee, as provided for in Rule 36.

Rules for Bogey Competitions

A Bogey competition is a series of Stroke Competitions in which play is against a fixed score at each hole of the stipulated round or rounds, and the winner is the competitor who is most successful in the aggregate of these competitions. The rules for stroke competitions shall apply with the following exceptions:

1—Any hole for which a competitor makes no return shall be regarded as a loss. The marker shall only be responsible for the marking of the correct number of strokes at each hole at which a competitor makes a score either equal to or less than the fixed score.

2—Any breach of rule which entails the penalty of disqualification shall only disqualify the competitor for the hole at which the breach occurred; but a competitor shall not be exempted from the general disqualification imposed by Stroke Rules 2 (1), 4 (2) and 5 (1) and (2).

NOTE—A scale showing the handicap allowance and indicating the holes at which strokes are to be given or taken shall be printed on the back of every scoring card.

The United States Golf Association recommends that clubs continue to follow the custom of allowing each competitor three-quarters of his full handicap.

U.S.G.A. PAR DISTANCES.

Holes up to 225 yards.....Par is 3
Holes from 226 to 425 yards.....Par is 4
Holes from 426 to 600 yards.....Par is 5
Holes 601 yards and upwards.....Par is 6

Changes and Interpretations

Changes in the Rules of Golf

As Adopted at the Annual Meeting of the United States Golf Association, January 14, 1911.

First sentence of paragraph 1 of Rule 1, to read as follows:

"The game of golf is played by two sides, each playing its own ball, with clubs made in conformity with the directions laid down in the clause on the 'Form and Make of Golf Clubs.'"

Clause entitled "Form and Make of Golf Clubs," to read as follows:

"The United States Golf Association will not sanction any substantial departure from the traditional and accepted form and make of Golf Clubs which, in its opinion, consist of a plain shaft and a head which does not contain any mechanical contrivance, such as springs; it also regards as illegal the use of such clubs as those of the mallet-headed type, or such clubs as have the neck so bent as to produce a similar effect."

Special Interpretations of the Rules of Golf.

As Passed By the Executive Committee of the United States Golf Association, February 17, 1909, to January 14, 1912.

Interpretation of clause entitled "Form and Make of Golf Clubs."

"The shaft of a putter may be fixed at the heel or at any other point in the head.

"The term mallet-headed, as above used, when applied to putters does not embrace putters of the so-called Schenectady type."

Interpretation of General Rule No. 11:

"If a ball lie on or within a club's length of a drain-cover, water-pipe or hydrant, located on the course, it may be lifted and dropped without penalty, as near as possible to the place where it lay, but not nearer the hole—as near as possible shall mean—'within a club's length.' If it be impossible for want of space or other cause for a player to drop the ball in conformity with this interpretation, he shall place the ball as nearly as possible within the limits laid down in this interpretation, but not nearer the hole."

Interpretation of General Rule 12:

"A mole-hill or mole-track may be removed from the fair green

in any way which will not unnecessarily interfere with the surface of the green."

Interpretation of General Rule 15:

"A player may take practice swing or swings after the ball is in play, more than a club's length from the ball."

Interpretation of General Rule 23:

"If it is doubtful that a ball be out of bounds, the player who played it is not entitled to presume that it is out of bounds until he has made a search of five minutes for it. Meanwhile, his opponent may make a search of five minutes for the ball within bounds, and if the ball is not found within that time, the player who struck the ball shall be given the benefit of the doubt, and the ball shall be considered 'out of bounds.'"

Changes in the By-Laws.

Section X of the By-Laws of the Association has been amended to read as follows:

"The competitions shall be played in accordance with the rules of golf as approved by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St. Andrews, Scotland, September, 1908, with such amendments and interpretations only as may have been or may be hereafter adopted by the United States Golf Association, together with such local rules as are in force and published on the green over which the competitions are played."

The Amateur Rule.

As a result of the amateur rule discussion begun in the spring of 1914, which reached its climax at the annual meeting of the United States Golf Association in January, 1915, a revision of the amateur rule and the method of investigating violations of it have been adopted by the U. S. G. A. executive committee and were announced on March 20, by Howard F. Whitney, secretary of the national association. Sections 7 and 8 of the U. S. G. A. by-laws have been amended and revised and now read:

Sec. 7. An amateur golfer is one who has not accepted, directly or indirectly, any fee, gratuity, money or its equivalent as a consideration for the performance of any act or service arising in connection with the game of golf and who is not or has not been a professional in any other branch of athletics. Provided, however, that the above shall not apply to writing, editing or publishing articles, magazines or books on golf, or to laying out, constructing, supervising or giving advice concerning the layout, construction or upkeep of a golf course or any part thereof.

Any person who becomes ineligible by reason of this by-law may be reinstated by giving to the executive committee of this association satisfactory evidence of meriting such reinstatement.

No occurrence prior to January 8, 1915, shall affect the status of any person who was in good standing as an amateur golfer on said date.

The following are the violations of the above rule:

1. Playing or teaching the game of golf for pay. This includes accepting travelling or living expenses for playing over a course or for participating in a golf tournament, contest or exhibition.

2. Personally making or repairing golf clubs, golf balls or other golf articles for pay.

3. Serving after reaching the age of 16 as caddie, caddie master or greenkeeper for hire.

4. Lending one's name or likeness for the advertisement or sale of anything except as a dealer, manufacturer or inventor thereof in the usual course of business.

5. Permitting one's name to be advertised or published for pay as the author of books or articles on golf of which one is not actually the author.

Sec. 8. The executive committee shall take cognizance of every apparent violation of section 7 that may come to its attention in any manner whatsoever; it shall exercise absolute discretion in the interpretation and enforcement of the by-laws for the purpose of safeguarding the best interests of the game of golf and shall have power to inflict such penalties as the circumstances of each case may in its judgment justify.

The announcement of the new wording of the amateur definition is preceded by a letter written by Frank L. Woodward of the U. S. G. A., addressed "To the Golf Players and Golf Officials of the United States." It will be posted on the bulletin board of every club which is a member of the United States Golf Association. The letter reviews the long discussion of the amateur question and declares that in the future violations will be rigorously punished. It says, in part:

"It will be observed that a greater degree of freedom of action and discretion is accorded the committee, resulting in a corresponding increase in its responsibility. It is thus placed in a situation that would be regarded as unwelcome by most men, but the executive committee is convinced that the vast majority of golfers are in sympathy with their efforts to maintain the highest possible standard in the game. It is realized that the sole purpose of the committee is to safeguard the interests of golf; to preserve it as it has always been, a dignified recreation and gentlemanly pastime; to remove from it as far as may be any taint of commercialism, and to prevent its being used by amateurs to any extent whatever as a source of income or remuneration. The committee therefore counts upon the assistance and co-operation of this vast majority in administering the responsibilities that have been placed upon it, and the firm belief is entertained that when the situation is once fully understood and a knowledge of what is expected becomes current instances like those that have heretofore given rise to criticism will no longer occur. The situation of the committee if this proves to be true is relieved of all of its unwelcome accompaniments and a reasonable basis is afforded for the confident hope that no actual occasion for drastic discipline will in fact arise.

"Attention is particularly called to the new reading of Section 8. Heretofore no inquiry into the acts or practices of golfers was regarded as authorized except upon the filing of a formal written protest accompanied by certified statements of club secretaries. Now the whole subject is relieved of any red tape or complications, and the committee is directed to take cognizance of every case, no matter how the information reaches it. The former apparent inattention will no longer be the rule. The committee will consider itself obliged to investigate every case as thoroughly as possible, and if it finds circumstances that seem to require action it will determine as to the penalty, whether it is to be reprimand, suspension for a definite period, or complete forfeiture of amateur status. It is the bona fides of every transaction that will be particularly inquired into. The aim will be in every instance to discover what was the real object of the act or practice complained of. If the facts disclose that the motives of the act were harmless or not in reality in violation of the spirit of the rule no penalty would be exacted. Quite the opposite would result if it is shown that there has been the slightest attempt to exploit a player's proficiency or prominence in the game for any sort of consideration or emolument.

"At the annual meeting much was said about the primary responsibility of various club officials who have put temptation in the way of players by offering inducements to them to play over their courses, attend tournaments and the like. This was held in a measure to exonerate the players who accepted these offers. No language is too

severe in condemnation of such heedlessness on the part of golf officials, but the day for this to be offered as an excuse for his action by any player has passed because the viciousness of the custom has been pointed out and the fact that it constitutes an offense has been explained. The golfers of the country are all possessed of sufficient intelligence to understand the rules and standards of golfing behavior. It is their duty to post themselves upon the requirements. Leniency should not be expected from the committee after the publicity that has been given to all the various phases of the question.

"The agitation of this amateur question has been beneficial, for it has riveted the attention of not only golfers but all classes interested in sports to the importance of preserving the purity of amateurism. It has produced so much discussion that more people than ever before now know what is really meant by the term amateur, with the result that a much more general understanding prevails regarding the limitations attached to the activities of an amateur. One of the functions of the executive committee is to so administer the duties of their office as to avoid friction and contention. This largely accounts for their pacific attitude at the time when disturbing incidents were otherwise to have been expected. The executive committee is perfectly well aware, however, that there was more than a little fire behind the vast amount of smoke that was rising. In the minds of a few players and of some club officials a deplorably low standard of conduct has been observed. Quite recently some prominent golfers who would have scorned to play for an actual money prize did play for certificates that were exchangeable into any form of merchandise. This instance is cited merely to show how far some golfers have yet to go before the amateur impulse within them may be said to be instinctive. To golfers of this description a kindly word of admonition is herewith proffered. The executive committee has been long suffering and very slow to anger. It will earnestly strive to be reasonable and always just, but it is quite capable of all the firmness and decision that its duties demand of it.

"The whole subject of this amateur question is in reality most simple if only it is approached with the attitude of willingness to do the right thing. The commanding necessity at this time is the awakening of a high sense of duty and obligation throughout the ranks of golfers in this country. The executive committee should not be compelled to drive players into the habit of compliance with regulations. There must be developed a more enlightened public opinion upon the subject that will result in the instinctive avoidance of questionable practices. We may be said to have passed through a sort of crisis in this matter; we have had a careful housecleaning and are starting fresh once more. If the point of view of all players can be said now to have been so altered that they will approach every problem as it arises with the query 'Does this conform to the proper spirit of the game?' rather than the more frequent one: 'Is there anything in the rule to prevent this,' the object that the executive committee has had in mind will have been achieved and the time and labor spent upon the improvement and revision of the by-laws will have been most aptly rewarded."

The executive committee, although ready and willing to investigate violations of the new rule, has addressed a note to the golf clubs of the country asking the local officials to deal with such violations as far as possible, and if the matter has gone too far, to submit the facts to the U. S. G. A. executive committee.

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Glossary of Technical Terms Employed in the Game of Golf

Addressing the ball—Putting one's self in position to strike the ball.
Approach—When the player is sufficiently near the hole to be able to drive the ball to the putting green his stroke is called the "approach shot."
Baff—To strike the ground with the "sole" of the club-head in playing, and so send ball in air.
Baffy—A wooden club to play lofting shots.
Bent—Rush, bent-grass.
Bogey—Usually given the title of colonel. A phantom who is credited with a certain score for each hole, against which score each player is competing.
Bone—A piece of ram's horn inserted in the sole of the club to prevent it from splitting.
Brassie—A wooden club with a brass sole.
Break-club—An obstacle lying near a ball of such a nature as might break the club when striking at the ball.
Bulger—A club with a convex face.
Bunker—Generally any rough, hazardous ground—more strictly, a sandpit.
Bye—Any hole or holes that remain to be played after the match is finished. They are played for singly, unless the sides agree to make another match of them.
Caddie—A person who carries the golfer's clubs, and who can usually give him advice in regard to the game.
Cleek—An iron-headed club of considerable driving power, and sometimes used for putting.
Club—The implement with which the ball is struck. The heads are of three kinds—wood, wood with a brass sole, and iron only.
Course—That portion of the links on which the game ought to be played, generally bounded on either side by rough ground or other hazard.
Cup—A small hole in the course, usually one made by the stroke of some previous player.
Dead—A ball is said to be "dead" when it lies so near the hole that the "putt" is a dead certainty. A ball is said to fall "dead" when it does not run after alighting.
Dormy—One side is said to be "dormy" when it is as many holes ahead as there remain holes to play. (This word is probably derived from the French, like many Scottish terms.)
Draw—To drive widely to the left hand. (Identical in its results with Hook and Screw.)
Driver—See Play-Club.
Face—First, the slope of a bunker or hillock; second, the part of the club-head which strikes the ball.
Flat—A club is said to be "flat" when its head is at a very obtuse angle to the shaft.
Fog—Moss, rank grass.
Fore!—A warning cry to any person in the way of the stroke. (Contracted from "before.")
Foursome—A match in which two play on each side.
Gobble—A rapid, straight "putt" into the hole, such that, had the ball not gone in, it would have gone some distance beyond.
Grassed—Said of a club whose face is slightly "spooned" or sloped backward.
Green—First, the whole links; second, the putting-ground around the different holes.
Grip—First, the part of the handle covered with leather, by which the club is grasped; second, the grasp itself.
Half-one—A handicap of a stroke deducted every second hole.

Half-shot—Less than a full swing.

Halved—A hole is said to be "halved" when each side takes the same number of strokes. A "halved" match is a "drawn game"—that is, the players have proved to be equal.

Hanging—A "hanging" ball is one which lies on a downward slope.

Hazard—A general term for bunker, long grass, road, water, whin, molehill, or other bad ground.

Head—This word is a striking specimen of incongruity and mixed metaphor. A head is the lowest part of a club, and possesses, among other mysterious characteristics, a sole, a heel, a toe or nose, a neck and a face.

Heel—First, the part of the head nearest the shaft; second, to hit from this part, and send the ball to the right hand.

Hole—First, the four and one-quarter-inch hole lined with iron; the holes going out are marked with white, and those coming in, with red flags. Second, the whole space between any two of these.

Honor—The right to play off first from the tee.

Hook—See Draw.

Hose—The socket in iron-headed clubs, into which the wooden shaft fits.

Iron—A club made of the material its name implies, with the head more or less laid back to loft a ball. A most deadly weapon in a good player's hands.

Jerk—In "jerking," the club should strike with a quick cut behind the ball, and stop on reaching the ground.

Lie—First, the inclination of a club when held on the ground in a natural position for striking; second, the situation of a ball, good or bad.

Like—See under Odds.

Like-as-we-lie—When both sides have played the same number of strokes.

Links—The open downs or heath on which golf is played.

Loft—To elevate the ball.

Long odds—When a player has to play a stroke more than his adversary, who is much farther on—that is, nearer the hole.

Made—A player, or his ball, is said to be "made" when his ball is sufficiently near the hole to be played on the putting green next shot.

Mashie—A club which, both in its make and its uses, is a compromise between the niblic and the iron.

Match—First, the sides playing against each other; second, the game itself.

Miss the globe—To fail to strike the ball, either by swinging right over the top of it, or by hitting the ground behind it, is counted a stroke.

Neck—The crook of the head where it joins the shaft.

Niblic—A small, narrow-headed, heavy iron club, used when the ball lies in bad places, as ruts or whins, etc.

Nose—The p int or front portion of the club-head.

Odds—First, means the handicap given by a strong player to a weaker in a single match, consisting of either one, two, three or more holes to start with, or one stroke per hole, or every alternate hole, or at every third hole, etc.; second, to have played the "odds" is to have played one stroke more than your adversary. Some other terms used in counting the game will be most easily explained here altogether. If your opponent has played one stroke more than you—that is, "the odds"—your next stroke will be "the like;" if two strokes more—that is, "the two more"—your next stroke will be "the one off two;" if "three more," "the one off three," and so on.

One-off-two, One-off-three, etc.—See under Odds.

Play-club—A wooden-headed club, with full-length shaft, more or less supple; with it the ball can be driven to the greatest distance. It is used when the ball lies well.

Press—To strive to recover lost ground by special hard hitting—a very dangerous thing to attempt.

Putt—To play the delicate game close to the hole. (Pronounced "u" as in but.)

Putter—An upright, stiff-shafted, wooden-headed club (some use iron heads), used when the ball is on the putting green.

Rind—A strip of cloth under the leather to thicken the grip.

Rub on the green—A favorable or unfavorable knock to the ball, for which no penalty is imposed, and which must be submitted to.

Scare—The narrow part of the club-head by which it is glued to the handle.

Solaff—When the club-head strikes the ground behind the ball and follows on with a ricochet.
Scruff—Slightly razing the grass in striking.
Set—A full complement of clubs.
Shaft—The stick or handle of the club.
Sole—The flat bottom of the club-head.
Spoons—Wooden-headed clubs of three lengths—long, middle and short; the head is scooped, so as to loft the ball.
Spring—The degree of suppleness in the shaft.
Square—When the game stands evenly balanced, neither side being any holes ahead.
Stance—The position of the player's feet when addressing himself to the ball.
Steal—To hole an unlikely "putt" from a distance, but not by a "gobble."
Stroke—The act of hitting the ball with the club, or the attempt to do so.
Stymie—When your opponent's ball lies in the line of your "putt."
Swing—The sweep of the club in driving.
Swipe—A full driving stroke.
Tee—The pat of sand on which the ball is placed for the first stroke each hole.
Third—A handicap of a stroke deducted every third hole.
Toe—Another name for the nose of the club.
Top—To hit the ball above its center.
Two-more, Three-more, etc.—See under Odds.
Upright—A club is said to be "upright" when its head is not at a very obtuse angle to the shaft.
Whins—Furze or gorse.
Whipping—The pitched twine uniting the head and handle.
Wrist shot—Less than half a shot, generally played with an iron club.

Golf Ball Facts

When it comes to tell the history of golf balls, so far as concerns the United States, the future historian will have to give a pretty large place to the work that has been done by A. G. Spalding & Bros. in turning out golf balls that are really right. The expense and trouble that they have gone to in their endeavor to make up a ball for the player that would be recognized as the finest on the market is wonderful, and, as a matter of fact, would have been out of the reach of any other manufacturer not possessing the unequaled facilities that A. G. Spalding & Bros. have, owing to their nearly forty years' experience in turning out athletic equipment of every description.

Many golf players do not realize just what has been done for them in turning out a satisfactory style of ball. All gutta-percha used in golf balls comes from the Malay Peninsula, and money, as is well known, will buy almost anything. A. G. Spalding & Bros., in their endeavor to buy the most satisfactory grade of gutta-percha, secured the co-operation and services of the greatest gutta-percha agents in the old country to buy their crude gutta-percha for them.

They gave a carte blanche order to a firm in England to buy for them all of the latest machinery used in cleaning gutta-percha for the manufacture of golf balls, and hired the services of an expert to set it up and see that all details of manufacture were properly attended to.

There are three distinctive features characterizing today the Spalding line of golf balls, a line, by the way, that is the most comprehensive and balanced ever produced by a single manufacturer.

First—The Dimple marking. We have conclusively and scientifically proved that a ball marked in this way (in contrast to the Bramble marking) is at least five yards longer on the drive, owing to the fact that the blow is nearer the rubber thread delivered on a flat surface, while no lost motion occurs, as it were, in the absorption of a fraction of the blow by protruding pimples, as in the case of the Bramble. However, no scientific proof is needed to demonstrate the above fact. We need simply point to manufacturers here and in England who have attempted to construct balls on the same principle. There have been all sorts of geometric figures employed by these manufacturers—stars, crescents, diamonds, squares, triangles, and hexagons—in the form of depressions on the surface of a golf ball, each one attempting to approach in theory as nearly as possible to the Spalding Dimple. "Imitation is the sincerest form of flattery," but the dimple remains in principle and reality the fairest of them all.

Second—Cover material. Ours is refined from the best obtainable raw material by a process particularly exclusive to ourselves at great expense and produces the finest cover obtainable, and as we refine our own raw material, we therefore have reason to rely on its quality and uniformity.

Third—Our soft cores, as employed in our "Domino Baby Dimple," "Midget" and "Honor" balls, are patented—the invention of our Chicopee laboratory—and possess distinct virtues enjoyed by no other cores. The core of a golf ball (particularly a heavy one) should be yielding, so as to permit of distortion when the rubber tape and thread around it are distorted by the blow, for it is the reaction to this very distortion that gives distances—the violent effort made by the rubber to regain its former equilibrium. Our cores are so soft that they permit of this maximum distortion. Since they are moulded, they invariably

are uniform in size and in gravity, because in the moulding or curing process their elements (of weights) are fixed. The reverse is apt to be true of the soft cores of nearly all our competitors, who employ rubber sacks or bags which contain paste or liquid. These cannot be as uniform in size or gravity as the moulded or fixed cores we use; first, because the bags may, and do, break, in which case the ball collapses inside; and, second, because the heaviest part of the liquid or paste may drop to one side of the core if the box of balls remains long on the shelves, thus displacing the center of gravity. If you have never seen one of our moulded soft cores, ask the manager to cut off the cover of an old soft cored ball, unwind the rubber, and show it to you.

The fourth characteristic Spalding feature is general uniformity as regards weight, cover thickness (our covers are one-sixteenth of an inch thick) and compression, or hardness of wind. Uniformity we consider almost as important as either of the other three characteristic features of the Spalding line. We believe no other manufacturer approaches us in this respect.

There exists always the most vital connection between the compression of a ball, its diameter and weight, and the size of its core for a given purpose. In other words, a ball that we expect and wish the hardest hitters to use is made differently from a ball that we market for the use of the average player. This difference is clearly demonstrated by the two new balls in our line this year, the "English Midget" and the "Honor," the former is small, hard, and heavy, and only the longest players can secure the maximum distance there is tied up in this ball. The latter is so constructed as regard the size of its core and the hardness of its wind that it is particularly responsive to the blow of the average player and who can use it with best results and yet remain unconscious of its weight.

Generally speaking, no player should attempt to play a ball the weight of which he is continually conscious of; first, since it is fatiguing, and second, because he will secure better results (especially in flight) from a lighter ball. The longest players only will secure the maximum distance from the heaviest and hardest balls. Women and light hitters should avoid their use.

For the average player a heavy, soft ball is especially provided, one that, due to its softness, will be found unusually responsive to a medium blow. Its weight and high degree of resiliency insure a long roll.

Other things being equal, the heavier the ball the longer the roll, while the added quality of hardness furnishes the greatest steadiness on the "short" game.

Varying turf conditions, the desirability of using floating balls on water holes, the "holding" of greens on short holes and play against hard head winds, must ever govern individual selection.

The use of different sizes is fundamentally a matter of individual choice, though by a law governing projectiles, the smaller a ball to a given weight, the greater the distance from a given initial momentum.

No woman should attempt to play our No. 4 "Domino" or our "Midgets," for instance, nor can a hard hitting man secure the proper distance that is due him from the use of our "Glory Dimple," "Baby Dimple," or probably even our "Honor" ball. Note particularly the size of this "Honor" ball. It is a brand new one. The harder balls, therefore, for the reasons before stated are also the ones that are most easily controlled on a short game, or on short holes, since the lightest blows do not affect them to the same degree as they affect softer balls. Though in flight the smaller ball is the longer, the larger ball makes up for this somewhat in its greater roll for the same reason that a larger cartwheel from a given initial momentum will roll further and with less friction as it were, than a smaller one. It does not dip down into every pocket or depression of the ground, and will roll longer on a road of a given roughness.

Attention is especially called to our extensive variety of balls as listed below. Experts have assisted us in establishing this line, basing their advice, as we have our manufacture, upon variations that must unavoidably occur in the conditions under which the game is played, and upon the varying requirements of individual players themselves. A ball that is best adapted through weight, construction and size to one style of play, necessarily cannot be as advantageously employed by a type widely differing. According to its construction each kind of ball must react differently to varying degrees of impact imposed upon it. We respectfully submit, therefore, the detailed specifications of our balls for careful consideration.

SPALDING 1915 GOLF BALL PRICES, WEIGHTS, SIZES AND COMPRESSIONS.

Name.	Weight Ounces	Size Inches	Average Comp.
Red Dot	1.44	1.710	8
Not supplied "Perma" painted.			
No. 1. Regular painted .....Dozen, $6.00			
Glory Dimple	1.44	1.710	8
No. 3P. "Perma" painted .....Dozen, $9.00			
No. 3. Regular painted ..... " 7.50			
Domino Dimple	1.62	1.710	6
No. 4P. "Perma" painted .....Dozen, $9.00			
No. 4. Regular painted ..... " 7.50			
Red Honor	1.67	1.670	6½
Supplied "Perma" painted only.....Dozen, $9.00			
Green Honor	1.58	1.670	6½
Supplied "Perma" painted only.....Dozen, $9.00			
English Midget Dimple	1.68	1.655	4½
Supplied "Perma" painted only.....Dozen, $9.00			
Domino Dimple	1.70	1.685	4½
No. 6P. "Perma" painted .....Dozen, $9.00			
No. 6. Regular painted ..... " 7.50			
Baby Dimple	1.52	1.655	7
No. 9P. "Perma" painted .....Dozen, $9.00			
No. 9. Regular painted ..... " 7.50			
Midget Bramble	1.66	1.655	6
No. 10P. "Perma" painted .....Dozen, $9.00			
No. 10. Regular painted ..... " 7.50			
Midget Dimple	1.66	1.655	5½
No. 11P. "Perma" painted .....Dozen, $9.00			
No. 11. Regular painted ..... " 7.50			
Green Dot	1.53	1.655	7
Not supplied "Perma" painted.			
No. 12. Regular painted .....Dozen, $6.00			

NOTE.—All golf balls listed at $7.50 per dozen sell six balls for $3.75; three balls for $1.90; one ball for 65 cents.

Figures in column marked "Average Compression" show the comparative hardness of balls, and are based on the arbitrary scale of the Spalding compression machine, the highest figures representing the softer, the lower the harder balls. A perfect degree of uniformity cannot be guaranteed in Red Dot and Green Dot balls.

Any large size ball weighing over 1.50 ounces will sink.

The English Midget as manufactured by our London factory, which we are marketing this year, is the ball which last year won the English Amateur and Ladies' Championship and is the most used ball made in Great Britain.

"Perma"—The Wonderful New Golf Ball Paint

Reg.U.S.Pat.Off.

We cannot help being enthusiastic about this wonderful new golf ball paint which has just been perfected in the Spalding laboratory. It is unquestionably the greatest improvement in golf ball manufacture in recent years—a decided step forward in the state of the art—indeed, it is significant that the "Honor" ball, with all that is implied in that name, should be just coming before the public, the first new ball to carry "Perma" paint. One hundred holes are nothing for this paint, a scrubbing brush and some soap make it nearly new again, and it is well nigh indestructible, due to its marvelous elasticity, and to the fact that it clings like a magnet to the surface of the ball. And yet this is not all. You play straighter with it; straighter and more certain, too, for it grips the grass tight on a backspin, and enables you to pitch close up to a hole with more freedom, and still not be over. It has increased the opportunities for skill in the short game 25 per cent.

The Spalding laboratory spent a long time in its development, and feels that it is right. It is very important that the ball be kept clean. If the dimples clog up, the ball will duck, and that is not the fault of the ball. Marking is put on the surface of a golf ball to prevent this, through the creation of the proper air resistance, and the exact dimensions of dimples on Spalding golf balls and their depth has been gotten down to such a fine mathematical point (better than .001 inch) —at which point the longest flights are assured—that it is not hard to figure out how mud which fills the dimple up and neutralizes the action of this marking will permit the ball to duck in flight.

Spalding Red Dots and Green Dots will continue to be painted with enamel paint, but it is to be noted that even on these balls the finest imported enamel obtainable is used.

Golf balls are subject to extreme heat and should never be left near open fires, registers, or steam pipes. The cover material is not "cured" and will flow and melt under these conditions.

Golfers who remember the old "gutty" balls thought them cheap at $4.00 a dozen, and yet the cost of making them was infinitesimal as compared with the present day line of balls, and a player was lucky to get around once with them. A half dozen rounds is not unusual with "Perma" painted balls, to say nothing of the added pleasure they bring to their users.

Mr. John Brophy, golf professional at the Fort Mitchell Golf Club, Cincinnati, in a letter to A. G. Spalding & Bros., states: "I am sending you one of your 'Perma' English Midget Dimple balls, with which I have played 150 holes. I think 'Perma' is the best I ever saw, and I certainly am pushing it in my club."

Timely Aids to the Complete Golfer

For the golfer who would be well equipped, it is as essential for him to know exactly what he wants as it is for him to get the best that is produced. There are many manufacturers of this class of goods who make the claim that what they do produce is "hand-made," also implying that the goods produced by A. G. Spalding & Bros. are made entirely by machine. This is fallacy, however, from start to finish, being merely another means whereby just-as-good manufacturers endeavor to pull wool over the eyes of the uninitiated.

As is well known, a good deal of credit is due to Spalding for the universal popularity of the game of golf in America for various reasons, the chief one of which is the fact that from the time of the introduction of golf into this country, they have consistently endeavored to improve the implements of play by every means in their power. As a promoter of sport, Spalding is without a peer in the sporting world. The aim and object has been to promote, wherever it was found expedient, outdoor games of all kinds, and in the pursuit of this it has been necessary for them to keep up with the manufacture of the goods that are essential in the development of these games, and in catering to the requirements of athletes. With an experience of over thirty years in manufacturing and supplying athletic equipment, it affords them the aid in the solution of the problem of making up a new article of athletic equipment, the best facilities that a manufacturer could have, namely: Experience, knowledge and capability. With this trinity at their command Spalding has been able to turn out what is universally recognized, not only in the United States, but also abroad, as the most perfect line of golf goods manufactured anywhere, and is therefore eminently qualified to make suggestions to those seeking this kind of information.

It is a well known fact that the old-fashioned methods of club making have undergone a change. Instead of having to take a solid block of wood, 3 by 2 by 16, and saw and chisel it out into the shape of a head, this work has been done by a machine which brings the block out into the rough in an advanced state of preparedness. The same can be said of shafts which used to be planed down from the square. This part of the work never, at any time, had any bearing upon the results obtained with the finished club, in any shape or way, and for anyone to claim that, simply because modern methods have simplified this work, the clubs are not as good when finished is nonsense. Every club, after this process has been completed, made by A. G. Spalding & Bros. is entirely finished by hand, and there are no other manufacturers to-day in America doing anything else. Claim is made by them, however, that clubs which they are selling are hand-made when they are doing nothing more or less than assembling clubs made from blocks turned by machine, and shafts as well.

The number of golf clubs for the player to use depends very largely upon the nature of the golf links over which he or she plays, but as a rule the following clubs are usually found in the bags of those who know something of the game and its requirements: A driver, brassie, driving iron, approaching iron, cleek, mid-iron, mashie, niblic and putter. Of course, one finds many players who use the spoon instead of the cleek, the old fashioned lofter instead of the mashie, and so on ad infinitum, but we merely wish to assist those who have not reached the stage when they attribute all their mistakes to their clubs instead of themselves. Nevertheless it is a fact that a player can do infinitely better with a good club that has been properly made—that has had the proper care and attention paid to the selection of the wood used in its manufacture, and also as to the spring and balance necessary to give it that responsive feeling which the good player so much

desires—than with a poor one, and it is the consensus of opinion by those best able to judge, that the line of Gold Medal Clubs produced by Spalding are as nearly perfect in workmanship and material as it is possible to turn out an article of this character. The material which enters into the composition (hickory for the shafts and dogwood, persimmon, and compressed hickory for the heads) is as carefully selected as it is possible to get, and, with the assistance of the best class of workmen, they are enabled to put upon the market a line of drivers and brassies to suit the most fastidious. Particular attention has been given to the balance and spring of the club, so that when the intending purchaser gets a driver or a brassie bearing the Spalding trade mark he has really got a club which is almost perfect.

The Spalding Model R and RN drivers, brassies, spoons, mid-baffys, lofting baffys, putting baffys and putters, which are after the famous Rigden patent, made with special brass weighted head, the weight being securely fastened exactly behind the point of impact, are, without doubt, the finest example of the club makers' art extant. They retail at $3.50 each and are simply perfection.

The Jacobus-Rigden drivers and brassies have three hickory inserts in the face. This makes a much harder striking surface and therefore increased length to the drive. They retail at $4.00 each.

A new feature has just been added to the line of golf clubs, called the "Biddle Patent Skooter." Made in drivers, brassies, spoons and wood cleeks; $3.50 each. The Seeley Clubs are the latest thing in irons. They are made in driving irons, cleeks, mid-irons and mashies. The ball leaves the club with an easier feel than with the ordinary iron; price $3.00 each. At last a metal which is absolutely non-rustable and non-corrosive—"Monel Metal" is a natural nickel alloy and is just as hard as the steel used in the Gold Medal Clubs. They sell at $2.50 each.

All the grips on the Spalding clubs are of a prepared calfskin, which has been proven to be the best kind of a grip that can be procured. The price of our Gold Medal No. 1 club is, wood, $3.00 each, and when one considers the large selection there is to choose from, there is no reason in the world for any player being without a club of the very best.

The iron clubs in this particular grade include models taken from the playing clubs of some of the most famous golfers in the world. Spalding has duplicated these playing clubs, representing as they do the ideas of the most prominent players on both sides of the Atlantic, and these are included in the regular line of Gold Medal golf irons.

A splendid feature is that any model which a player prefers, different from anything that they have in their line, they can copy it exactly, as they have unequaled facilities for doing this kind of work, and the price for copying such special irons will be just the same as for the regular stock article. There are no better iron clubs made in this country to-day, all being hand-hammered from the finest mild steel. The shafts are of the finest hickory procurable, and the grips of prepared calf skin. They retail for $2.50 each.

A very fine line of juvenile golf clubs fitted with prepared calfskin grips are also furnished, with every advantage of proportion and size, making a splendid club for the use of boys and girls up to fourteen years of age. These are furnished in drivers, brassies, cleeks, mashies and putters, and the price for any of these styles in the juvenile club is $1.50 each.

CADDY BAGS.

In the caddy bag line A. G. Spalding & Bros. have again demonstrated that they are in a class by themselves, as the grade of caddy bags they make are simply so far ahead of anything else that there is really no comparison.

In the manufacture of their canvas and leather trimmed caddy bags the best grade of duck suitable for this purpose is used, and in their leather bags nothing but solid leather goes into their manufacture, and not like some of the stuff that is foisted upon

a gullible public which is nothing more than thin strips glued together. The handles on all of these bags are made to conform to a man's grip, and are guaranteed not to break at the bend. The bottoms are made after a patent idea of our own, and preclude the possibility of being broken or having the stitching give way by being dragged along the ground. No other maker goes to so much trouble, as the idea uppermost with the majority is a bag to sell and not to wear. The full line of Spalding caddy bags, the most complete line made anywhere and comprising styles of every possible description, are noted in brief below, with prices of each style specified. In the all-leather bags, full size, the following are furnished by A. G. Spalding & Bros.:

No. PG. Genuine pigskin bag, heavy brass harness buckle on shoulder strap, brass studs and trimmings, leather bottom. Price $12.00.

No. L5H. With lock and removable hood for covering clubs while traveling. This caddy bag will be accepted by railroads as baggage. Price $12.00.

No. L4. Imported leather bag, brass trimmings, leather bottom, and one of the most durable bags made. Price $8.00.

No. L6. Small stiff tan leather bag, snap sling and brass trimmings throughout. Long ball pocket, opening top and bottom. Price $6.00.

No. L3½. Grain leather lady's bag, good quality, brass trimmings and leather bottom. Price, $6.50.

No. WL3½. Grain leather lady's bag, good quality, brass trimmings and leather bottom. Price, $6.00.

In the full-size canvas bags A. G. Spalding & Bros. furnish the following styles:

No. WS. White or brown duck bag, either 7 or 8 inches diameter, leather trimmings and white leather lacing, reinforcing steel strips running lengthwise; solid leather shoulder strap and handle. Patent heavy buckle lock and patent stitched leather bottom. Waterproof hood to fasten over clubs. Each, $10.50.

No. BWC. Special compartment bag, with separate entire length pocket for each club. First quality whipcord. Leather trimmings and reinforcing strips of real reed. Furnished with hood, 8-inch size, at $15.00 each.

No. WP. First quality whipcord, with reinforcing strips of steel; a very durable bag, with hood, 8-inch size, $15.00 each.

Khaki cloth is the latest thing used for caddy bags; it is much lighter in weight than the canvas. This material is furnished in the following styles:

No. AHK. Same as No. AH, except made of khaki instead of brown or white duck. $7.50 each.

No. A1K. Same as No. A1, except made in khaki, $6.50 each.

No. A2K. Same as No. A2, except made in khaki, $5.50 each.

No. C4K. Same as No. C4, except made in khaki, $3.00 each.

No. WR. Similar to No. WS, but with reeds and a different style buckle lock. Price, $9.00.

No. WB. Similar to No. WS, but without reinforcing strips. Each, $8.00.

No. AH. Similar to No. A1, but with hood. Each, $7.50.

No. A1. Heavy tan or white canvas bag, 6 inches diameter, white leather lacing and leather trimmings, reinforcing strips running lengthwise. Each, $6.50.

No. A2. Heavy tan or white canvas bag, 6 inches diameter, leather trimmings; reinforced strips running lengthwise; sole leather bottom, ball pocket and sling. Each, $5.50.

No. CX. Good quality canvas, either white or brown, leather bottom, large ball pocket, sling to match, size 6 inches diameter, studs on bottom. Each $4.00.

No. C4. Special white duck, 6 inches diameter, black leather trim-

mings, real reed strips covered with black canvas, large ball pocket, leather bottom, with studs. Each $3.00.

No. C3. Brown or white canvas, leather trimmings, handle and sling, reinforced canvas bottom, ball pocket to match. Size 6 inches diameter. Each, $2.50.

No. C0. White duck, leather trimmings, ball pocket, leather bottom and shoulder strap, 4½ inches diameter, $2.00 each.

No. C2. Brown or white canvas; canvas bottom; ball pocket and leather handle and sling. Size 5 inches diameter. Each, $1.50.

For Children—No. 10. Brown canvas, leather trimmings, ball pocket and sling, canvas covered wood bottom. Each, $1.00.

No. 11. All canvas, ball pocket and heavy well-padded shoulder pad. Each, $1.00.

No. 12. Juvenile bag, leather trimmed and leather strap. Each, $3.00.

GOLF SUNDRIES.

In the line of Golf Sundries listed by Spalding, a copy of which should be in the hands of every golf player, will be found a number of very useful articles for the ordinary golf player as well as for the expert. Spalding furnishes a very satisfactory line of golfing gloves. These are:

No. GSP. Best quality soft white chamois, left hand reinforced. These gloves are not perforated, but have instead special backs which shape with the knuckles when club is gripped—one of the most practical ideas ever included in a golf glove. Pair, $2.50.

No. GG1. Grip Golf Gloves. With left hand reinforced to give special grip on club, perforated knuckles. Pair $2.50.

No. GG2. Heavy tanned chamois, with left hand reinforced to give special grip on club. Closed back. Particularly adapted for winter use. Pair, $2.50.

No. G1. Made of best quality soft white chamois, open knuckles. A very superior glove. Price $2.00 per pair.

No. G2. Fine soft tanned chamois, open knuckle, perforated back. Per pair, $1.75.

No. 200. Best quality brown leather palms and tips, backs of lisle thread. Per pair, $2.00.

No. G2L. Quality as No. G2, for left hand only, with reinforced palm. Each, $1.00.

No. G3. Fingerless glove, palms reinforced, perforated backs. Price $1.00 per pair.

No. G4. Fingerless glove, for left hand only. Price 50 cents each.

A very useful article is the Spalding Neverslip Rubber Grip. It is always durable, is not sticky, and never gets slick. Grips applied to any clubs or supplied separately, ready to apply. Each, 75 cents. Another useful preparation is known as Sure Grip. This will not soil the hands, and its application insures a firm grip at all times. The price is 25 cents per box. Players who have had some experience realize the necessity for something—either in the way of hobnails, disks or studs of some character—on the soles of their shoes when playing. Spalding furnishes everything of this kind needed. A very satisfactory style of rubber disc is their No. 9. With these disks it is possible for a player to go into the club house right from the golf course, which is not so in many cases where the ordinary hobnails are worn on shoes. The price of the No. 9 disks is 7 cents each. A very satisfactory style of Golf Stud is what is known as Sakcorb Studs, made of highly tempered steel, screwed to sole and heel. This style of stud always insures a firm footing. The price is 10 cents each, or for a set of 12 complete, 75 cents. Hobnails cost, for iron, 10 cents per dozen, and for aluminum, 15 cents per dozen.

No. G. Wing's screw calks, easily adjusted by hand, box of 50, complete with wrench, 50 cents; dozen calks, 15 cents. Made in large size also, No. OO, at same prices.

Golf players like occasionally to repaint the golf balls they are using, and Spalding furnishes a most satisfactory grade of glossy golf

paint. It is the same as is used exclusively by the leading makers in the United States and Great Britain, and A. G. Spalding & Bros. are the sole agents for the United States. The price of this Glossy Golf Paint is 25 cents and 50 cents per can. Another preparation, known as Golf White, also answers the same purpose as paint, but it dries instantly, and will not chip, crack, or wear off. This is furnished in either white or red, and the price for the No. 8 Golf White is 15 cents per bottle. If the ball is cleaned occasionally it materially lessens the chance of losing it, and in the form of a tobacco pouch Spalding furnishes two styles of ball cleaners. Their No. 30 is made with a rubber pouch, enclosing a sponge, into which a little water can be introduced, making an exceedingly satisfactory style of ball cleaner, and rendering it unnecessary to handle the ball itself until it is thoroughly cleaned. The price of this No. 30 ball cleaner is 35 cents each. The No. 27 style ball cleaner is also made with a rubber pouch, enclosing a sponge and a circular bristle brush. This style of cleaner is very effective indeed. The price is 50 cents each for the No. 27. No. 50 is a cleaner of special type, having a double pouch of rubber, with special felt inside to be saturated. It costs 50 cents. Another very necessary article for the golf player is a club polisher. This is furnished by A. G. Spalding & Bros., and is known as Kaddy Polish No. 1040. The price of the No. 1040 Kaddy Polish is 10 cents each. Spalding also furnishes an Emery Cloth Cleaner, consisting of a book of fifteen sheets of emery cloth, very effective for cleaning clubs. The price of this Emery Cloth Cleaner No. E is 20 cents each. For the making of tees, Spalding has a very effective one in their adjustable tee mold No. W, which will make a tee any height the player wishes, the cost of which tee mold is 50 cents. There are two other different styles, and their Anchor Tee, which, it is claimed, cannot be lost, is held on the teeing ground by the anchor, and can only move the length of the string, about nine inches. The anchor is put to the left and front of the tee. The price of the No. 5 Anchor Golf Tee is 15 cents each. The ordinary rubber golf tee, regulation style, made of red rubber, is known as Spalding No. 3, and costs 5 cents each. They also furnish score sheets for large matches or medal play, the price being 15 cents each. A style of counter that has rapidly achieved popularity with golf players is what is known as the Liberty Golf Counter. The cover to which the celluloid counters are attached is pliable, and provides for easy and quick turning of disks. No pencils required with this counter except for transferring the score from the counters to the record, and provision is also made for a permanent or yearly record. The ladies' style furnished in the Liberty Counter is made for the belt in such a way as not to require detaching in keeping the score while playing. This Liberty Golf Counter is furnished in the following styles by A. G. Spalding & Bros.:

No. 2.	Ladies' genuine pigskin.....	$1.50 each.
No. 15.	Ladies', black seal grain.....	1.00 each.
No. 25.	Gents', genuine pigskin.....	1.00 each.
No. 26.	Gents', black seal grain.....	1.00 each.
	Renewable fillers for the above counters.....	.15 each.

For the course as well as for the player everything is kept in stock, so that no one need be in a quandary as to where to get the necessary articles for the course which are requisite. Markers, hole rims, hole cutters, hole rim setters, etc.

A very necessary article for the golf course is a hole cutter. The style furnished by A. G. Spalding & Bros. is made of steel, and the earth is ejected when withdrawn from hole. It is very simple and effective, and is made of the best quality of steel. The price of this No. 11 steel hole cutter is $5.00 each. Golf hole rims, while they appear very simple, are made in different styles, and there is all the difference in these that there is between anything else which is made right as compared with something that is not made right. The Spalding simple iron hole rim is known as the No. 20, and is

fitted with a cross-piece, which prevents the ball from falling to the bottom of the hole. This is a very effective arrangement, especially during wet weather, as it prevents the ball from getting soiled. The price of this No. 20 Hole Rim is 40 cents each. The patented style of hole rim furnished by Spalding, and they claim that it is the best hole rim ever made, is a solid iron casting in one piece, solid enough to prevent the hole from being racked by the weight of the hole disk or flag, which is always kept in an upright position by the neck below the cup. This style of rim should be seen to be appreciated. It is known as the Spalding No. 30, and costs $1.00 each.

A necessary thing for the placing of hole rims in the ground is the hole rim setter, and by means of this little article, which retails for $1.25 each, one is assured of the hole rim being set in the ground perfectly, thus doing away with a great deal of the criticism that usually ensues from the imperfect hole rim setting. Another very useful article for the use of the greens man in connection with the golf course is their special Knife Turf Cutter. This is a very useful and necessary article of any well-run golf course. As it is generally known, a great deal of patching has to be done on putting greens where weeds come in and get the upper hand. This is made so that a piece of bad turf can be cut out and a good piece substituted. Along with this Knife Cutter comes a flat-bladed implement with a curved handle, made entirely of iron and steel, for use in the lifting of the turf when cut. It is really essential for every club to have one. The two articles, complete, cost $6.00.

Direction and marking flags are furnished by A. G. Spalding & Bros. in red, white, red and white, blue and white, or any other combination of colors. The price of their No. 9 Oblong Flag is 40 cents each, and for their No. 11 Flag, triangle shape, 40 cents each. Marking flags, red out, numbered from 1 to 9; white in, numbered from 10 to 18, cost for No. 2 style, flags only, numbered as ordered, 50 cents each, and for the No. 5 spearhead-staffs, 7 feet long, 50 cents each. Metal badges for caddies, each badge numbered and with safety pin on back to fasten to cap or breast, cost 35 cents each. Putting disks, the object of which is to train the eye in putting and an article that should be on the club house putting green, where they are also useful for indoor practice, cost 25 cents each. Teeing plates, round shape, made to lie with the ground, and used to mark the space within the limits of which the ball must be teed, cost for the No. 8 style 50 cents per pair. A very excellent article for practice in driving is what is known as Parachute Golf Ball, furnished by A. G. Spalding & Bros. with the parachute attached to the ball. It prevents the ball from traveling very far, no matter how hard hit. The price of the Parachute Golf Ball is 80 cents each. Another very excellent article for golf practice is the game of Golfette. This is not really a game, but is a device consisting of a series of nets into which the golf ball is lofted. The object of it is to loft the ball into the center net; in other words, to secure accuracy in lofting. For the purpose of keeping score, the following count is made: The inner net counts 3, the center net 2, and the outer net 1 point. A distance from 15 to 25 feet from net is proper when using this Golfette and, of course, the regular golf club and ball are used. The price of this No. 13 Golfette is $5.00 each.

It is hardly necessary to describe the game of Clock Golf, but it might be stated that this is an excellent device for practice in putting. Messrs. Spalding & Bros. furnish two different styles. The figures are arranged in a circle from 20 to 24 feet in diameter, or of any size the lawn will admit. Each player holes out from each figure point, counting his strokes, and, with a few exceptions, the regular rules on putting apply. Sets consist of twelve figures, one marking flag, hole rim, and measuring chain for getting the proper distance for setting the figures. The set is furnished complete in boxes with descriptive circular in their No. 1 style, with raised figures in black on white teeing plates, for $10.00 per set, and in their No. 2 style, with plain cut-out figures, painted white but not

on plates, for $5.00 per set, and in their No. 3 style, portable set, complete in canvas cover, $3.00 per set.

In the matter of practice devices, A. G. Spalding & Bros. have always led the way, and they show in their catalogue the Eureka Golf Driving Net which can be put up almost anywhere and is a splendid means of getting practice, especially with the iron clubs. This can be put up in a room or any place of a similar nature and affords a great deal of exercise. These retail for $7.50 each. A more elaborate style of a practice device is the Indoor Golf Game. It consists of a large canvas or net with seven large pockets about three feet apart, arranged so that each pocket has its relative value with the different clubs that may be used in seeking to drive the ball therein, also side and top nets, blackboard, putting green, tee and mat. With one of these nets a golfer can play any course in the country of which he may have the score card and know the exact distances of each hole, as every one of the pockets has a relative value for the different clubs played with. A drive in the best pocket constitutes 200 yards, a brassie 190, a cleek 180, an iron 170. An approach into the same pocket lays the player "dead at the hole" and no putting is needed. This outfit sells complete at $90.00.

GOLF SWEATERS.

Spalding has turned out the best line of jacket sweaters, that are to be found in the market. They are made of the best quality worsted, of heavy weight yarn, and have pearl buttons down the front. A sweater has come to be recognized as one of the necessary articles in the golfing outfit, for the reason that it lends itself to the ease that one requires in the upper part of the body when playing golf. It looks well under trying circumstances, bad weather, etc., and is always comfortable. They come in various grades: The VG, made up in almost any color, retails for $6.00. The VGP, which has pockets on either side, thus being particularly convenient for golf players, retails for $6.50. Another grade is the DJ, of fine worsted, standard weight, which costs $5.00.

The No. WJ sweater is perhaps the most comfortable the automobiling golfer can wear, at any or all times, for any purpose where a garment is required to give protection from the cold. It is made with a high collar that can be turned up or down according to the desire of the wearer, and presents at either time a very nifty appearance. Made of the finest heavy weight worsted in all sizes from 28 to 44 inches and sells for $7.50.

No. NPJ is an Angora wool sweater which is especially commended to golfers, as it is warm, yet light in weight. Furnished in dark gray only, in sizes from 28 to 46 inches, with one pocket on each side; $7.50 each.

GOLF SHOES.

Another article of very great moment to the golfer is the golf shoe. Messrs. Spalding & Bros. have been at the head of the list in supplying the proper goods for golf playing ever since the introduction of this sport into the United States, and to-day they are in a position to supply the most fastidious with the best that can be had in this line. Their unequaled facilities for turning out the proper athletic shoes has enabled them to put out golf shoes that are far in advance of other makers' styles, as their general line of athletic equipment is in advance of the ordinary make of athletic goods found on the market.

The best grade Spalding golf shoe is their No. 88. This is made of fine Russia calf in Oxford style and is a strictly bench-made shoe. Some makers call their shoes hand-made when, as a matter of fact, there is practically no hand-made in their make-up, but in the Spalding factory the hand-made shoes are really shoes that are made by shoemakers at the bench. These men who turn out the hand-made shoes for A. G. Spalding & Bros. are skilled mechanics, and they have been working on Spalding athletic shoes for fifteen

and twenty years. They have gotten so that they have a peculiar knack that is absent in the work of the ordinary shoemaker, and this special feature in Spalding athletic shoes is what has brought about their popularity. This is true not only with base ball, foot ball, basket ball, running, tennis and gymnasium shoes, but also with their line of superior golf shoes, and at the head of the list stands this No. 88 shoe. Besides being made of the very best material and the finest workmanship throughout, this shoe has a special spliced rubber sole. This is a new idea of Spalding's and it is very popular with golfers. This spliced rubber sole is altogether different from that turned out by other manufacturers of golf shoes who do not themselves know the requirements of a shoe for golfers. Instead of splicing the rubber with the studs right across the toe, they have continued this diagonally from the toe across the ball of the foot, which is the place where the golfer wants his shoe to hold in the act of pivoting while swinging his club. Spalding is the only manufacturer who was alive to the necessity of this, and with him the idea originated. This shoe really must be seen to be fully appreciated, as it is in reality the most up-to-date golf shoe made. The price of this No. 88 golf shoe is $8.00 per pair. Another splendid shoe is their No. 8, made of the finest English tan leather, Balmoral shape, with flat sole last, and box toe. The sole is made heavy enough so that hobnails or rubber discs may be attached. This is a hand-made shoe also, and of excellent quality throughout. They retail for $7.00 per pair. Similar in quality and make to the No. 8, but of Oxford shape instead, is the No. 6 shoe, a very satisfactory low cut shoe which retails for $6.50 per pair. Another shoe A. G. Spalding & Bros. get out is termed the Professional Golf Shoe, or No. 7. It is made similar to the No. 6, and has round blunt spikes. It gives the player wearing these shoes a very firm grip on the turf, and does not cut up the sward as much as some of the other spikes that are on the market. It enables one to pivot easier when swinging than many of the others. It comes in Oxford shape, in russet leather. No. 7. Price, $6.00 per pair.

No. 4. A high shoe, made of tanned calf leather with whole vamp, reinforced across instep with brown calf, short blunt spikes. Per pair, $6.50.

No. 5. A low shoe, made of the same material and style as No. 4, except low cut. Per pair, $6.00.

No. AB—High cut, with suction rubber soles, light drab calf, laces very low. Per pair, $5.00.

There are a thousand and one other articles for the athlete in general, and also for the golf player, which are listed from time to time in the Spalding catalogue, and no one needs to be without a copy of this valuable information medium, as it will be mailed free of charge to any address on request to any of the Messrs. Spalding & Bros.' stores, a list of which is given on inside front cover of this book.

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SPALDING "PERMA" PAINTED GOLF BALLS

Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

After months of experiment and trials we have invented, at our Chicopee factory, a new Golf Ball Paint, which we shall call the

"PERMA"

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This we can guarantee in the strongest possible fashion for durability especially, and it certainly means a great step forward in golf ball construction.

DISTANCE—The most essential feature in a golf ball is in the length of drive, and all Spalding heavy balls are best for hard hitters. Other styles of our make are better for medium or light hitters.

DURABILITY—Is obtained by proper construction, tough covering material, and still further increased by the use of "PERMA" paint.

CONTROL—Is secured by proper use of the club, but is increased by the clinging quality of the "PERMA" paint.

SATISFACTION—Can be obtained by selecting a ball that suits your game, and the great variety of styles we make gives you a choice offered by no other manufacturer.

On account of the extra expense involved, all balls painted this way will retail for $9.00 per dozen.

At present we will supply the following balls painted with **"PERMA"** (Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.) Paint. When ordering, please specify the number of the ball with letter "P", as indicated on list below.

Red Honor. "PERMA" painted.	**Dozen,**	**$9.00**
Green Honor. "PERMA" painted.	**"**	**9.00**
English Midget Dimple. "PERMA" painted.	**"**	**9.00**
No. 3P. Glory Dimple. "PERMA" painted.	**"**	**9.00**
No. 4P. Domino Dimple. "PERMA" painted.	**"**	**9.00**
No. 6P. Domino Dimple. "PERMA" painted.	**"**	**9.00**
No. 9P. Baby Dimple. "PERMA" painted.	**"**	**9.00**
No. 10P. Midget Bramble. "PERMA" painted.	**"**	**9.00**
No. 11P. Midget Dimple. "PERMA" painted.	**"**	**9.00**

Although dearer in price, they are cheaper in the end, because of greater durability.

Order ball by number (except Spalding Honor and English Midget Dimple), and note particularly the special numbers on "PERMA" painted balls.

Spalding Honor and English Midget Dimple balls supplied only "PERMA" painted. We also supply our regular catalogue line of balls enameled according to an improved English process and far superior to any ordinary painted golf balls. (See list on following pages.)

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SPALDING GOLF BALLS

Experts have assisted us in establishing this line, basing their advice, as we have our manufacture, upon variations that occur in conditions under which the game is played and upon the varying requirements of individual players. Compression figures indicate the comparative hardness of balls, the higher figures representing the softer, the lower the harder balls.

According to its construction each kind of ball must react differently to varying degrees of impact imposed upon it.

Any large size ball weighing over 1.50 ounce will sink. Perfect uniformity not guaranteed in Red Dot Balls.

FLOATS IN WATER
RED, WHITE and BLUE DOT
No. 3P **PERMA** PAINTED
Dozen, $9.00 Each 75c.
SEE BELOW FOR PRICES REGULAR PAINTED

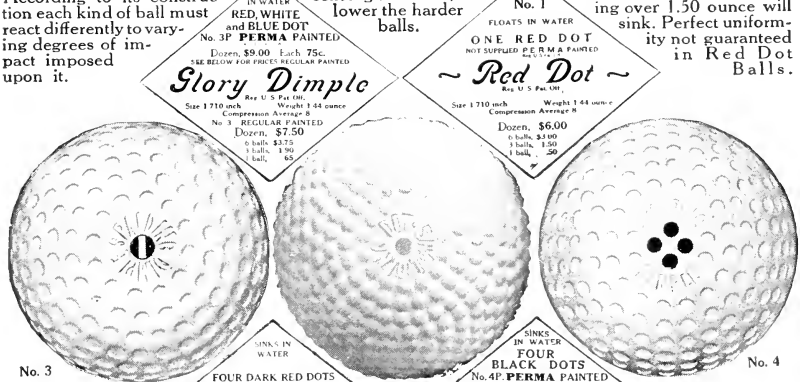
Glory Dimple

Reg U S Pat Off.
Size 1.710 inch Weight 1.44 ounce
Compression Average 8
No 3 REGULAR PAINTED
Dozen, $7.50
6 balls $3.75
3 balls 1.90
1 ball, .65

No. 1
FLOATS IN WATER
ONE RED DOT
NOT SUPPLIED PERMA PAINTED

~ Red Dot ~

Reg U S Pat Off.
Size 1.710 inch Weight 1.44 ounce
Compression Average 8
Dozen, $6.00
6 balls, $3.00
3 balls, 1.50
1 ball, .50



No. 3 No. 1 No. 4

SINKS IN WATER
FOUR DARK RED DOTS
REPEATED SIX TIMES
SUPPLIED ONLY PERMA PAINTED

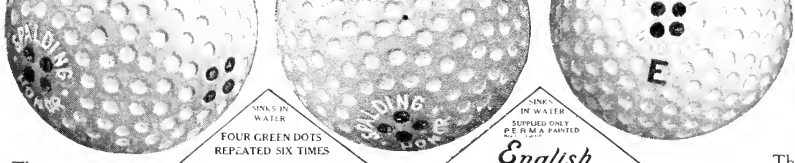
~ Red Honor ~

DIMPLE MARKING SOFT CORE
HAND MADE
Size 1.670 in Weight 1.67 oz.
Compression Average 61
Dozen, $9.00
6 balls $4.50
3 balls 2.25
1 ball .75

SINKS IN WATER
FOUR BLACK DOTS
No. 4P **PERMA** PAINTED
Dozen $9.00 Each, 75c.
SEE BELOW FOR PRICES REGULAR PAINTED

Domino Dimple

Reg U S Pat Off. Pat Dec 8 1914
Size 1.710 inch Weight 1.62 ounce
Compression Average 6
No 4 REGULAR PAINTED
Dozen, $7.50
6 balls, $3.75
3 balls, 1.90
1 ball, .65



SINKS IN WATER
FOUR GREEN DOTS
REPEATED SIX TIMES
SUPPLIED ONLY PERMA PAINTED

Green Honor

DIMPLE MARKING SOFT CORE
HAND MADE
Size 1.670 in Weight 1.58 oz
Compression Average 61
Dozen, $9.00
6 balls, $4.50
3 balls, 2.25
1 ball, .75

SINKS IN WATER
SUPPLIED ONLY PERMA PAINTED

English Midget Dimple

TWO RED AND TWO BLUE DOTS
AND RED "E"
Size 1.655 in Weight 1.68 oz
Compression Average 41
Dozen, $9.00
6 balls, $4.50
3 balls, 2.25
1 ball, .75

The Spalding Honor provides for average player a heavy, soft ball, one, that will be found unusually responsive to a medium blow. Its weight and high degree of resiliency insures a long roll.

A ball adapted through weight, construction and size, to one style of play, cannot be employed by a type widely differing.

The English Midget, as manufactured by our London factory, is the ball which last year won English amateur and ladies' championship. Most used ball made in Great Britain.

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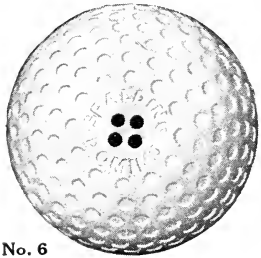
Generally speaking no player should attempt to play a ball of the weight of which he is continually conscious of, first because it is fatiguing, and second since he will secure better results (especially in flight) from a lighter ball. The longest players only will secure the maximum distance from the heaviest and hardest balls. Most ladies and all light hitters should avoid their use. The use of different sizes is fundamentally a matter of individual choice, though by a law governing projectiles, the smaller a ball of a given weight the greater the flight from a given momentum.



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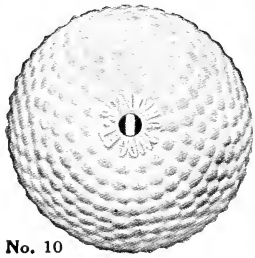

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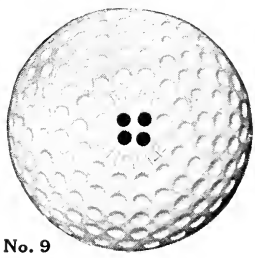

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SINKS IN WATER
FOUR LIGHT BLUE DOTS
No. 6P. **PERMA** PAINTED
Dozen, $9.00 Each, 75c.
SEE BELOW FOR PRICES REGULAR PAINTED

Domino Dimple
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off. Pat. Dec. 9, 1913
Size 1.685 inch Weight 1.70 ounce
Compression Average 41
No. 6 REGULAR PAINTED
Dozen, $7.50
6 balls, $3.75
3 balls, 1.90
1 ball, .65

SINKS IN WATER
GREEN, WHITE AND ORANGE DOT
No. 10P. **PERMA** PAINTED
Dozen, $9.00 Each, 75c.
SEE BELOW FOR PRICES REGULAR PAINTED

Midget Bramble
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off. Pat. Dec. 9, 1913
Size 1.655 inch Weight 1.66 ounce
Compression Average 6
No. 10 REGULAR PAINTED
Dozen, $7.50
6 balls, $3.75
3 balls, 1.90
1 ball, .65

SINKS IN WATER
TWO RED TWO BLUE DOTS
No. 9P **PERMA** PAINTED
Dozen, $9.00 Each, 75c.
SEE BELOW FOR PRICES REGULAR PAINTED

Baby Dimple
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.
Size 1.655 inch Weight 1.52 ounce
Compression Average 7
No. 9 REGULAR PAINTED
Dozen, $7.50
6 balls, $3.75
3 balls, 1.90
1 ball, .65

SINKS IN WATER
TWO GREEN, TWO ORANGE DOTS
No. 11P. **PERMA** PAINTED
Dozen $9.00 Each, 75c.
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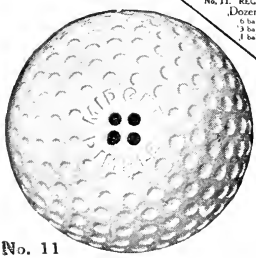
Midget Dimple
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off. Pat. Dec. 9, 1913
Size 1.655 inch Weight 1.66 ounce
Compression Average 5
No. 11 REGULAR PAINTED
Dozen, $7.50
6 balls, $3.75
3 balls, 1.90
1 ball, .65

No. 12
SINKS IN WATER
ONE GREEN DOT
NOT SUPPLIED PERMA PAINTED
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

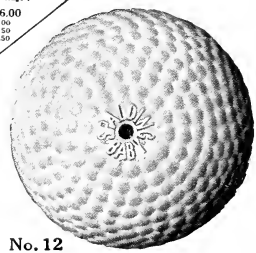
~ Green Dot ~
Size 1.655 inch Weight 1.53 ounce
Compression Average 7
Dozen, $6.00
6 balls, $3.00
3 balls, 1.50
1 ball, .50



No. 11

Don't hit the ball on the dots every time you tee it up and then blame the manufacturer if you lose direction and finally distance. Play fair with the ball and the ball will play fair with you.

Other things being equal the heavier the ball the longer the roll, while the added quality of hardness furnishes the greatest steadiness on the "short game."



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Varying turf conditions, the desirability of using floating balls on water holes, the "holding" of greens on short holes and play against hard head winds, must ever govern individual selection.

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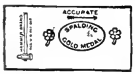
SPALDING GOLD MEDAL IRONS



No. GMI. Spalding Gold Medal Irons, plain, diamond scored or dotted faces. Specially prepared calf grip. Ea., **$2.50**

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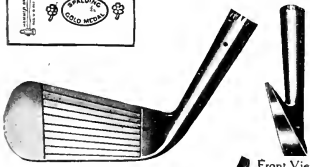
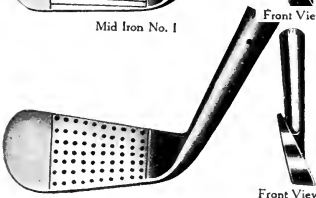

Mid Iron No. 1 — Front View

Mid Iron No. 1. Medium pitch, with extreme depth at toe. Moderately large blade. An excellent all around iron. Straight line corrugation.


Mid Iron No. 2 — Front View

Mid Iron No. 2. Shallower blade than No. 1. Well pitched. Recommended for beginners. Dot corrugation.

Mid Iron No. 3. Concentrated back type. Small head. Very slight pitch. A good club for distance. Ball dot corrugation.


Mid Iron No. 7 — Front View

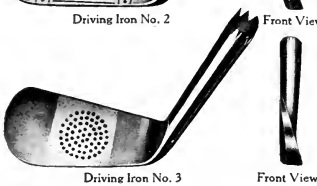
Mid Iron No. 6. An ideal type of mid iron, with thin blade. Moderate pitch. Irregular dot corrugation.

Mid Iron No. 7. Moderate degree of pitch. Very shallow at heel. Dot and dash corrugation.

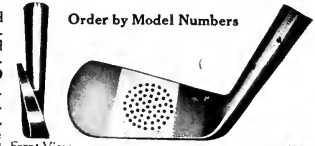

Driving Iron No. 2 — Front View

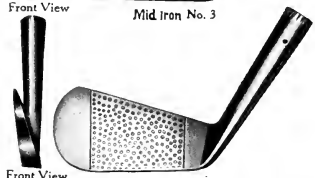
Mid Mashie No. 4. An effective club for running up shots upon a keen green, particularly those just off the green. Blade of mashie style, but with less loft.

Mid Mashie No. 8. Similar to deep face mashie, but with less loft for shots slightly greater distance than mashie length and into the wind. Dot corrugation.


Driving Iron No. 3 — Front View

Driving Iron No. 2. Concentrated back type of club. Medium depth of face. Very effective where maximum distance with an iron is desired. Ball dot corrugation


Front View — Mid Iron No. 3


Front View — Mid Iron No. 6


Front View — Mid Mashie No. 4


Front View — Mid Mashie No. 8


Front View — Driving Mashie No. 1

Driving Iron No. 3. Our international model driving iron. Straight back and well pitched for this type of club Irregular dot corrugation.

Driving Mashie No. 1. A short-bladed powerful club. Concentrated weight in back. Regular dot corrugation.

All models shown on this page carried in stock in Right Hand Clubs, and, in addition, Mid Irons Nos. 1 and 3 and Mid Mashie No. 4 are carried in Left Hand Clubs. Other models in Left Hand Clubs supplied on special orders. In ordering for Left Handed player add letter L to regular Model Numbers.

Mid Irons Nos. 1 and 2 are carried in stock also in special light weight clubs for women. In ordering clubs for women add letter W to regular Model Numbers.

Furnished with Spalding Never Slip Grip, instead of prepared calf grip, 25 cents each, extra.

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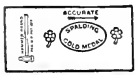

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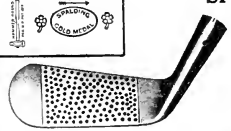

Cleek No. 1


Front View

No. GMI. Spalding Gold Medal Irons, plain, diamond scored or dotted faces. Specially prepared calf grip. Ea., **$2.50**

Cleek No. 1. Short hosel, with shaft extending to sole. Concentrated weight in back. Irregular dot corrugation.


Cleek No. 3


Front View

Cleek No. 2. Straight blade. Trifle more depth at toe than heel. An efficient model. Straight line corrugation.

Cleek No. 3. Well lofted. Concentrated weight in back. Three-quarter length hosel. Ball dot corrugation.


Mashie No. 2


Front View

Mashie No. 1. Genuine deep faced mashie type—so called Taylor model. Straight line corrugation.

Mashie No. 2. Medium depth of face. Lofting mashie type. Regular dot corrugation.


Mashie No. 6


Front View

Mashie No. 3. Shallow face. Lofting mashie type. Concentrated weight in back. Ball dot corrugation.

Mashie No. 6. Large, broad face. Strongly endorsed as the most decided recent advance in simplifying play with this otherwise difficult club. Dot and dash corrugation.

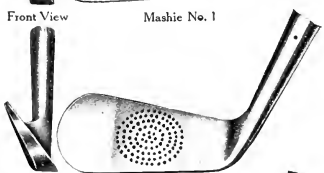

Approaching Cleek No. 6

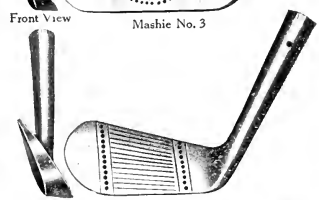

Front View

Mashie No. 7. Deep face and heavy. Recommended particularly for mashie shots of distance and play from the rough. Line and dot corrugation.


Front View
Cleek No. 2


Front View
Mashie No. 1


Front View
Mashie No. 3


Front View
Mashie No. 7


Front View
Approaching Iron No. 1

Approach Cleek No. 6. So called Braid type of approaching cleek. Centraject back. For running up shots.

Approaching Iron No. 1. An intermediate iron, designed for distance between a mid iron and mashie shot. Concentrated back. Ball dot corrugation.

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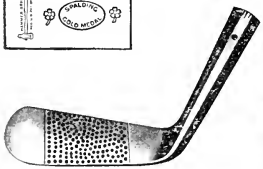

Jigger No. 4 — Front View

No. GMI. Spalding Gold Medal Irons, plain, diamond scored or dotted faces. Specially prepared calf grip. Ea., **$2.50**

Jigger No. 4. Regular type, concave face; designed for shots of slightly greater difference than the mashie where a little run off the pitch is desired.

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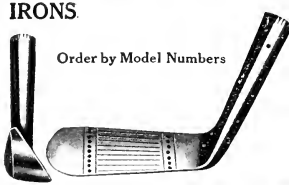


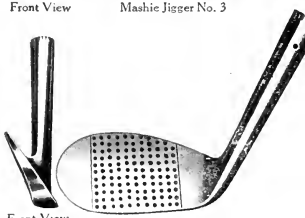
Front View — Mashie Jigger No. 3

Bobbie Iron No. 1. Round soled iron. Designed for play from heavy rough, where distance is desired, or cuppy lie. Regular dot corrugation.

Bobbie No. 1 — Front View

Pitcher No. 1. It is effective for pitch shots from sixty to one hundred yards where little run is desired.

Mashie Jigger No. 3. Extra heavy sole. Shallow face. Well adapted for short pitches where little run is desired.

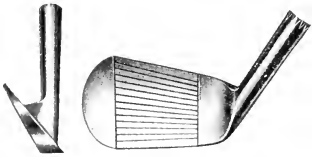


Front View — Pitcher No. 1

Mashie Niblic No. 3. The original mashie niblic model, with concave face. Well pitched. Ball dot corrugation.

Mashie Niblic No. 6. Deep faced. Large headed. Well laid back. Effective in playing from rough grass or for shots near the green. Straight line corrugation.

Mashie Niblic No. 3 — Pat. Dec. 19, 1905 — Front View



Front View — Mashie Niblic No. 6

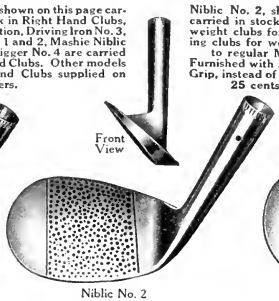
Niblic No. 1. Round headed genuine niblic type of club. Effective for all varieties of niblic work. Ball dot corrugation.
Niblic No. 2. Square headed type of niblic, with flat sole. Can be used also for pitching. Irregular dot corrugation.
Niblic No. 5. Extra large blade. Designed particularly for playing from deep sand pits and extraordinary difficulties. Straight line corrugation.

In ordering for Left Handed player add letter L to regular Model Numbers.

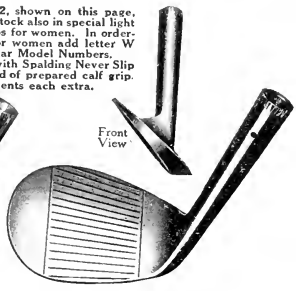
All models shown on this page carried in stock in Right Hand Clubs, and, in addition, Driving Iron No. 3, Niblics Nos. 1 and 2, Mashie Niblic No. 6 and Jigger No. 4 are carried in Left Hand Clubs. Other models in Left Hand Clubs supplied on special orders.

Niblic No. 2, shown on this page, carried in stock also in special light weight clubs for women. In ordering clubs for women add letter W to regular Model Numbers. Furnished with Spalding Never Slip Grip, instead of prepared calf grip. 25 cents each extra.

Front View — Niblic No. 1



Front View — Niblic No. 2



Front View — Niblic No. 5

SPALDING RIGDEN PATENT WOOD CLUBS

Patented December 7, 1909

The Spalding Rigden Patent Wood Clubs, with insertion of a specially fastened brass back (see sectional cut on opposite page) in place of the ordinary lead one, represent the first substantial advance over the original method of weighting wooden clubs. We claim this method of weighting prevents shifting of the weight, concentrates maximum force behind the point of impact, balances the club with mathematical accuracy, and protects the back of the club under extraordinary wear, as encountered in playing from hard dirt tees. Made in two distinct types, comprising five different models.

No. **R.** Round type of head, presenting a beauty in line and contour as in no other golf club. This type supplied in either Driver or Brassie.

No. **RN.** Longer in face and narrower from face to back. A splendid type of club from standpoint of practical playing efficiency. This type supplied in either Driver, Brassie or Spoon.

Spalding Rigden Patent Wood Clubs. Two types (five models) described above. Each, **$3.50**

Spalding Rigden Patent Wood Clubs, fitted with Ivory face (see cut on opposite page). " **6.00**

All Rigden Models carried in stock in either Right or Left Hand Clubs. In ordering for Left Handed player add letter L to regular Model Number.

Special light weight clubs for women carried in stock in any of the Rigden models. In ordering women's clubs add letter W to regular Model Number.

Spalding Jacobus Triple Insert Combined with Rigden Patent Weighted Head

(Patented Nov. 8, 1910) (Patented Dec. 7, 1909)

The Jacobus Patent Triple Insert combined with Rigden Patent Head gives all the features described above of the Rigden Patent Head, and, in addition, provides a wooden club with an exceedingly hard driving surface, obtained by inserting specially prepared mahogany segments so that the impact is imparted to the ball by the **end** of the grain of the wood. Recommended by numerous players as the best wooden club made. See cuts on opposite page.

Models same as in regular Rigden Patent Clubs listed above. Mention "Jacobus-Rigden when ordering.

Spalding Jacobus-Rigden Wood Clubs. Two types (five models). . . . . Each, **$4.00**

All Jacobus-Rigden Models carried in stock in either Right or Left Hand Clubs. In ordering for Left Handed player add letter L to regular Model Numbers.

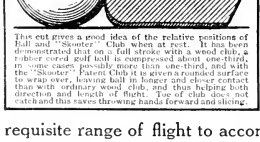
Special light weight clubs for women carried in stock in any of the Jacobus-Rigden Models. In ordering women's clubs add letter W to regular Model Numbers.

SPALDING BIDDLE PATENT "SKOOTER" WOOD CLUBS

Copyright, 1913

When ordering, mention "Biddle Patent."

Patented August 22, 1911.



This cut gives a good idea of the relative positions of Ball and "Skooter" Club when at rest. It has been demonstrated that on a full stroke with a wood club, a rubber cored golf ball is compressed about one-third, in some cases possibly more than one-third, and with the "Skooter" Patent Club it is given a rounded surface to wrap over, leaving ball in longer and closer contact than with ordinary wood club, and thus helping both direction and length of flight. Toe of club does not catch and thus saves throwing hands forward and slicing.

The Biddle Patent Clubs, and especially the Brassie Spoon, will be found particularly good for women players.

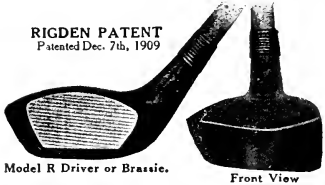
In these "Biddle Patent" clubs the lip portion of the face has been slightly raised to avoid danger of deflection, the club when it meets the ground sliding along instead of digging in. The different models in which these Biddle Patent Wood Clubs are made are varied in the proper degrees to secure the requisite range of flight to accommodate almost any course condition possible to be covered by a wood club. Models supplied: Driver, Brassie, Brassie Spoon, Brassie Cleek. Shafts are all of selected second growth split hickory. Grips of specially prepared calf. . . . . Each, **$3.50**

Spalding Biddle Patent Wood Clubs, fitted with Ivory face. . . . . " **6.00**

ANY OF THE CLUBS LISTED ON THIS PAGE FURNISHED WITH SPALDING NEVER SLIP GRIP, INSTEAD OF SPECIALLY PREPARED CALF GRIP, 25 CENTS EACH. EXTRA.

Order by Model Numbers, as noted under cuts shown on opposite page.

SPALDING PATENTED SPECIALTIES

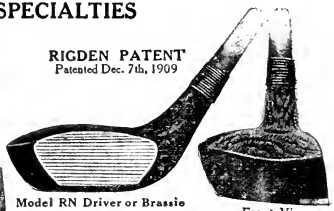


RIGDEN PATENT
Patented Dec. 7th, 1909

Model R Driver or Brassie.

Front View

Rigden Patent Head cut to show weight insertion



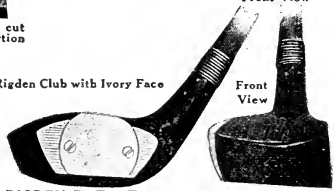
RIGDEN PATENT
Patented Dec. 7th, 1909

Model RN Driver or Brassie

Front View

Model RN Spoon
Each $3.50

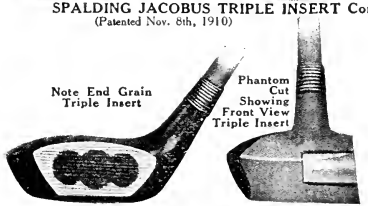
Front View



Rigden Club with Ivory Face

Front View

SPALDING JACOBUS TRIPLE INSERT Combined with RIGDEN PATENT WEIGHTED HEAD
(Patented Nov. 8th, 1910) (Patented Dec. 7, 1909)



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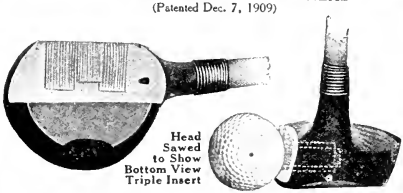
Phantom Cut Showing Front View Triple Insert



Head Sawed to Show Bottom View Triple Insert

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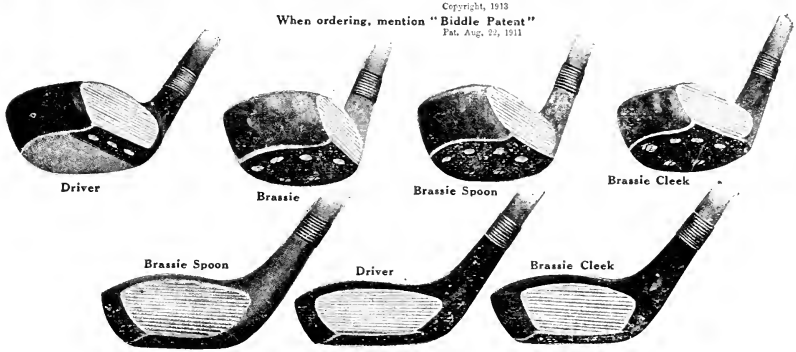

Driver

Brassie

Brassie Spoon

Brassie Cleek

Brassie Spoon

Driver

Brassie Cleek

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SPALDING GOLD MEDAL WOOD CLUBS

Spalding Gold Medal Clubs are made in the latest, which means the most generally approved models, and of the first selection of heads, shafts and everything else entering into their construction. Made in both socket and spliced types and including practically every model in popular demand anywhere in the United States or abroad.

No. **GM1.** Gold Medal Wood Clubs: Models 1, 2, 3, 7, 11, 14, 16, 17 and 23 Drivers or Brassies, 18 and 19 Drivers, Brassie Spoon Models 6 and 13, and Wood Cleek Models 20 and 22, shown on this and following page. Specially prepared calf grip. Ea., **$3.00**

Any of the clubs listed on this page made with Ivory Face on special order. Extra, $2.50 each.

Standard lead weighted golf clubs at a moderate price. Material with the slightest blemish and models which are out-of-date do not go into Spalding Gold Medal Clubs.

Clubs with Spalding Never Slip Grip, instead of specially prepared calf grip, 25 cents each, extra.

ORDER BY MODEL NUMBERS

Model No. 1. Demonstrates an unusual combination of correct designing and general efficiency. Moderate size. Every line in harmony without the slightest exaggeration in any detail. Shaft practically centered at heel.

Model No. 2. Similar to No. 1, but narrower from face to back, and a trifle longer face. Recommended for beginners.

Model No. 3. In shape approaching our Rigden Patent clubs No. R. A round, large head. Top line of face well arched. Designed to place as much wood as possible behind the point of impact.

Model No. 7. Large type of head, made with greater portion of weight set well forward of center, and wood around the neck reduced, giving a prominence to the head and striking face which is calculated to increase a player's confidence.

Model No. 11. Long headed, flat lie type. Top line of face slightly arched. An excellent type for players preferring a flat lying club.

Model No. 14. Large headed, Semi-Dreadnought type, square face. Designed to impart confidence to player uncertain of tee shots.

Model No. 16. Long, narrow "Destroyer" type, of extraordinary length of face. Designed particularly for the beginner, as presenting maximum hitting surface.

Model No. 17. Oblong "blocked" type of head. Square face. A most efficient style of club.

Model No. 23. Model of club widely advertised and used by an international champion. Greatest width of head near toe, tapering beyond face, and back to heel.

Model No. 18 Driver. Spliced type of club, with long face.

Model No. 19 Driver. As No. 18, but with shorter face and rounded head.

Model No. 20 Wood Cleek. Long, narrow head. Well lofted face; spliced.

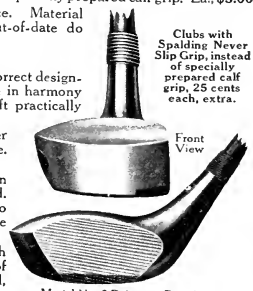
Model No. 22 Wood Cleek. Extra long face. Socket type of club.

Model No. 6 Spoon. A Bull Dog type of head, with round sole; an excellent club for playing from the rough or cuppy lie.

Model No. 13 Brassie Spoon. Ideal type for all around work. Longer in face than No. 6 and without rounded bottom.

All models shown on this page, except Model 14, are carried in stock in both Right and Left Hand Clubs. In ordering for Left Handed Player add letter L to regular Model Numbers. Models 1, 2, 7 and 11, shown on this page, are carried in stock also in special light weight clubs for women. In ordering clubs for women add letter W to regular Model Numbers.

Model No. 1 Driver or Brassie



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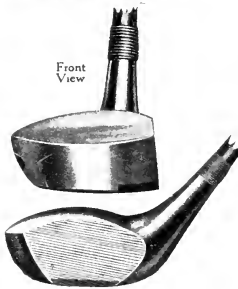
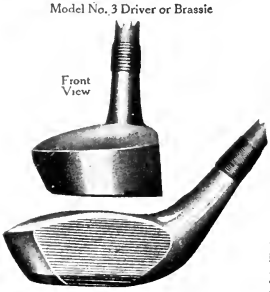
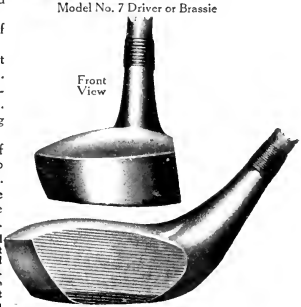


Model No. 3 Driver or Brassie

Model No. 7 Driver or Brassie



Model No. 11 Driver or Brassie



Model No. 14 Driver or Brassie Large

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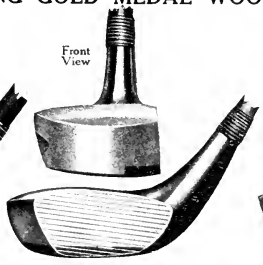
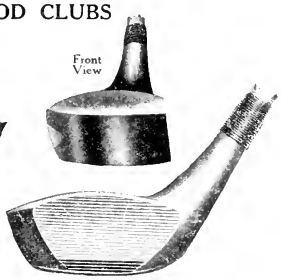
Model No. 16 Driver or Brassie



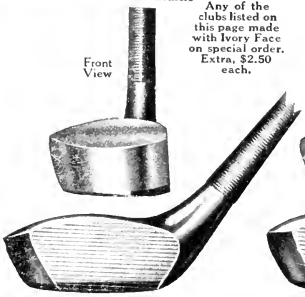
Model No. 17 Driver or Brassie



Model No. 23 Driver or Brassie

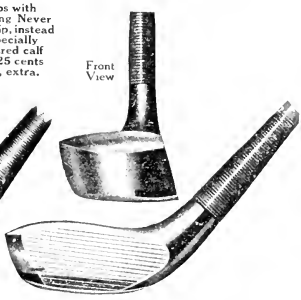
Any of the clubs listed on this page made with Ivory Face on special order. Extra, $2.50 each.

Clubs with Spalding Never Slip Grip, instead of specially prepared calf grip, 25 cents each, extra.



Model No. 18 Driver—Spliced

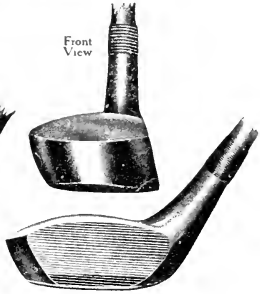
Model No. 19 Driver—Spliced



Model No. 20 Wood Cleek

Model No. 22 Socket Wood Cleek

Model No. 6 Bull Dog. Brassie Spoon Fiber Face



Model No. 13 Brassie Spoon

FOR DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF ABOVE CUTS, SEE OPPOSITE PAGE

All Models shown on this page carried in stock in Right Hand Clubs, and, in addition, Wood Cleek No. 20 and Brassie Spoon No. 13 are carried in Left Hand Clubs. Other models in Left Hand Clubs supplied on special orders. When ordering for Left Handed player add letter L to regular Model Numbers.

Model 23 and Brassie Spoon No. 13, shown on this page, carried in stock in special light weight clubs for women. In ordering clubs for women add letter W to regular Model Numbers.

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SPALDING "GOLD MEDAL" PUTTERS AND PUTTING CLEEKS

Order by Model Numbers

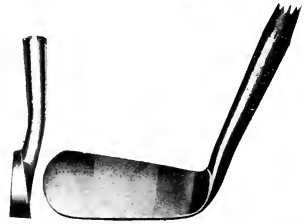
No. **GMI.** Iron Putters Nos. 1, 6, 7, 8 and 11 Putting Cleeks, Nos. 1 and 2, and Gun Metal Putter No. G. Specially prepared calf grip.

Each, **$2.50**

Putter No. 1. One-half goose neck type of putter. Very little pitch. Irregular dot corrugation.

Putter No. 6. Quarter goose neck. Blade thick at sole, furnishing a good base. Ball dot corrugation.


Putter No. 1 — Front View


Front View — Putter No. 7


Putter No. 6 — Front View


Front View — Putter No. 8

Putter No. 11. Straight face. Rather long blade. Moderate depth of face.

Putter No. G. Gun metal. Straight blade. Small head.

Putting Cleek No. 1. Long headed putting cleek type. Full weight.

Putter No. 7. Full goose neck type. Light in weight. Plain face.

Putter No. 8. Quarter goose neck, with extension sole.

Putting Cleek No. 2. Short blade, with little loft.


Straight Face Putter No. 11 — Front View

All models shown on this page are carried in stock in Right Hand Clubs. In addition, Putters Nos. 1, 6 and 11, and Putting Cleek No. 1, are carried in Left Hand Clubs. Other models in Left Hand Clubs supplied on special orders. In ordering clubs for Left Handed player add letter L to regular Model Numbers.

Putters Nos. 1, 6 and G, and Putting Cleek No. 1, are carried in stock in special light weight clubs for women. In ordering clubs for women add letter W to regular Model Numbers.

Any of the Putters on this page furnished with the Spalding Never Slip Grip, instead of specially prepared calf grip, 25 cents each, extra.


Front View — Putting Cleek No. 1


Putter No. G — Front View


Front View — Putting Cleek No. 2

Spalding Steel Putters

Model H Steel Putter — Front View

No. **H.** Same model as used by Mr. Hilton when he won the Amateur Championship of 1911. Specially prepared calf grip. Each, **$3.00**

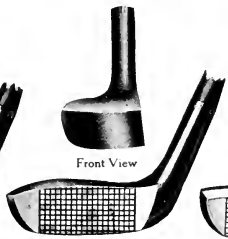
No. **BV.** A variation of the original steel putter (our No. H) and becoming increasingly popular. Each, **$3.00**

Front View — Model BV Steel Putter

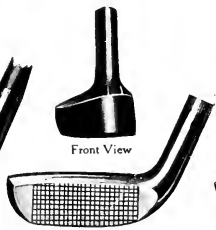
Spalding Aluminum Putters

All are perfectly legal for use here and, except No. HH, may be used abroad.

Front View — No. YL Patent "Youd" Putter



Front View — No. 4 International Putter



Front View — Model RM Putter

Front View — No. HH "Hammer-Headed" Putter

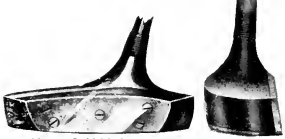
No. YL. Patent "Youd" Putter (Patent Applied For). Aluminum, with special pattern lead face inserted. Specially prepared calf grip. . . . . Each, **$3.50**

No. 4. "International" Putter. Aluminum. Used both here and abroad. Face slightly laid back. Made in three lies — flat, medium and upright. Specially prepared calf grip. . . . Each, **$3.00**

No. RM. Model RM Putter. Embraces the good points of various styles we have made during the past few years. For players particularly who have used our No. 4, the new No. RM will undoubtedly become very popular. . . . . Each, **$3.00**

No. HH. "Hammer-Headed" Putter. Aluminum. Used by many prominent players in matches in the United States. Not legal in England. Specially prepared calf grip. . . . . Each, **$3.00**

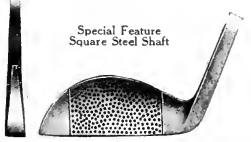
Spalding "Gold Medal" Wood Putter



No. 10 Gold Medal Putter — Front View

No. **10.** Heavily weighted with lead. Scored brass face. Specially prepared calf grip. . Each, **$3.50**

Spalding "Olympic" Steel-Shafted Putter



Front View — No. O Steel Shafted Putter

No. **O.** This putter is designed as an instrument sufficiently delicate to impart the impact to either a short or long putt on a keen green with unusual accuracy. . . Each, **$3.50**

All models shown on this page are carried in stock in Right Hand Clubs. In addition, Models Nos. 4 and HH are carried in stock in Left Hand Clubs. Other models in Left Hand Clubs supplied on special orders. In ordering for Left Handed Player add letter L to regular Model Numbers.

Any of the Putters on this page furnished with the Spalding Never Slip Grip, instead of specially prepared calf grip, 25 cents each, extra.

SPALDING "SEELY" PATENT IRONS

When ordering, mention "Seely" Patent
Patented May 14, 1912

Cleek

The substitution of the steel prongs for the round hosel actually reduces the weight of that part of the head one and one-half ounces, enabling us to place that additional weight in the blade, increasing the driving power and producing a club lighter in weight, more effective for distance and of better balance. The hosel portion, or shank of the iron head, is split or forked to accomodate the shaft, as shown in illustration. Models supplied. Cleek, Mashie, Mid Iron, Driving Iron. Shafts of selected second growth hickory. Grips specially prepared calf. Each, **$3.00**

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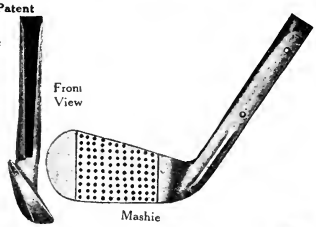
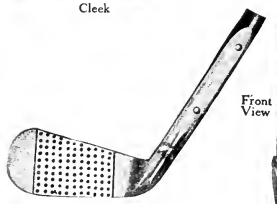


Mashie



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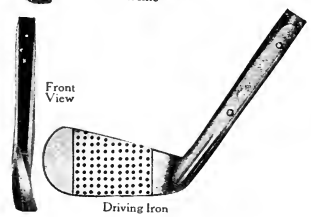
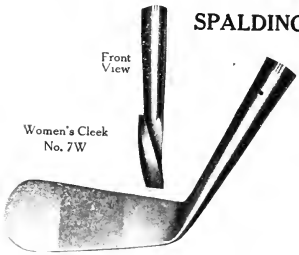


Driving Iron

SPALDING WOMEN'S GOLF CLUBS

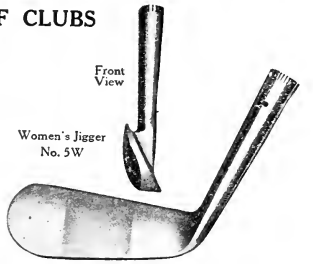


Women's Cleek
No. 7W

We have designed the first real set of irons particularly adapted to the average woman's stroke, the blades being modeled long, narrow, and heavy at the sole so that the stroke played by the average woman will produce the same degree of pitch and clear "get away" that follows the shot played by a man where the club passes through the turf

This set of women's clubs consists of Cleek, Mid Iron, Jigger and Mashie. The Mashie is more orthodox in its lines because of the variety of lies and strokes that this club is called to negotiate. After producing and testing these clubs we feel they may be heartily recommended to women players. Specially prepared calf grips. . Each, **$2.50**

In addition to the women's models shown on this page, we carry a variety of our regular men's clubs, both wood and iron, in special light weight clubs for women.



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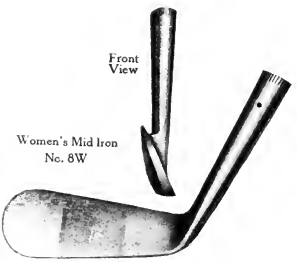

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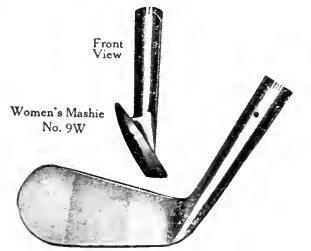

Women's Mashie
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SPALDING "OFFSET" IRONS

"They Almost Think"

Forged from finest mild steel. The "Offset" clubs have proven very popular in England and they are in the bags of the best players in this country. Supplied only in models as shown: Mashie, Mashie Niblic, Niblic, Push Iron, Cleek, Push Cleek and Jigger No. 2. Specially prepared calf grip. Made in Rights and Lefts. Mention "Offset" and model name when ordering. . . . . Each, $2.50

Furnished with Spalding Never Slip Grip, instead of specially prepared calf grip, 25c. each, extra.

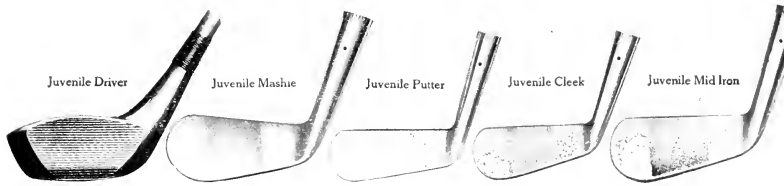
"Offset" Mashie — "Offset" Mashie Niblic — "Offset" Niblic — "Offset" Push Iron

"Offset" Cleek — "Offset" Push Cleek — "Offset" Jigger No. 2

SPALDING "JUVENILE" GOLF CLUBS

Improved models. Every part of each club is of a size exactly proportionate to full size club, making perfect clubs for the use of boys and girls up to fourteen years of age. Specially prepared calf grip.

Drivers, Brassies, Mashies, Mid Irons, Cleeks, or Putters. . . . . Each, $1.50



Illustrating separate compartment for each club in No. BWC Bag

No. BWC

No. L5H

No. L4

No. L3½

No. 11

SPALDING CORDUROY CADDY BAGS

No. **BWC.** Special compartment bag, with eleven separate entire length pockets for clubs. Best English tan corduroy; reinforcing strips of steel, leather covered; brown leather trimmings, handle and shoulder strap with brass fittings. Hood is of special design to cover clubs completely and securely. Ball pocket; umbrella attachment. Diameter 8 inches. Each, **$15.00**

No. **WP.** Best English tan corduroy; leather trimmings and white leather lacing, reinforcing steel strips, leather covered, has umbrella attachment. Durable and fine appearing. Patent heavy brass buckle lock to fasten waterproof hood over clubs; brass trimmings. Diameter 8 in. Each, **$15.00**

SPALDING ALL-LEATHER CADDY BAGS

No. **L5H.** Best russet cowhide, ball pocket and sling to match, brass trimmings. Diameter 5 inches. Removable hood for covering clubs; fitted with patent heavy brass buckle lock. Accepted by railroads as baggage. Ea., **$12.00**

No. **PG.** Genuine imported russet pigskin; brass trimmings; white leather lacing. This is a very durable and fine appearing bag. Size 5 inches in diameter. . Each, **$12.00**

No. **L4.** Best quality English cowhide, white leather lacing, brass fittings. This bag will give excellent service. Diameter 5 in. Each, **$8.00**

No. **L6.** Best russet cowhide, snap sling, brass trimmings. Long ball pocket opening top and bottom. Size 3⅞ inches diameter. Each, **$6.00**

No. **L3½.** Good quality light brown grain leather; brass trimmings; large ball pocket. Size 5 inches diameter. . . . . Each, **$6.50**

Spalding Caddy Bag for Women

No. **WL3½.** Good quality light brown grain leather; brass trimmings and large ball pocket. Size 4½ inches diameter. . . . Each, **$6.00**

Spalding Caddy Bags for Children

No. **12.** Good quality white or brown duck, black or brown leather trimmed; leather handle and shoulder strap; reinforcing steel strips covered with webbing to match leather trimmings; ball pocket. Diameter 4 inches. Leather offset bottom. . . . . Each, **$3.00**

No. **10.** Brown or white duck, leather trimmings, webbing shoulder strap; ball pocket. Leather bottom. Diameter 3⅝ in. Each, **$1.00**

Sunday Caddy Bag

No. **11.** Made of white duck throughout, ball pocket, heavy web shoulder strap. Duck covered bottom. Diameter 4½ inches. Each, **$1.00**

All Spalding Caddy Bags are made with ball pocket of ample size for the size of the bag. Heavy leather shoulder sling, leather straps and leather handle on all Spalding Caddy Bags, except Nos. 10 and 11.

We letter caddy bags with initials, etc., on special order. Prices on application.

No. WP

No. PG

No. L6

No. 12

No. WL3½

Patented May 5, 1914

Special Sewed Offset Leather Bottom used on all Spalding Caddy Bags (except Nos. 10 and 11) listed on this page, more than tripling ordinary life of bag. Showing also reinforcing bottom ring and brass "drag" plate, which also helps to increase life of bag.

No. WS

No. WR

SPALDING CANVAS CADDY BAGS

LARGE SIZE

No. **WS.** White or brown duck, 7 or 8 in. diameter, brown or black leather trimmings, white leather lacing, reinforcing steel strips, leather covered; has umbrella attachment. Patent heavy brass buckle lock to fasten waterproof hood over clubs. Brass trimmings. . . Each, **$10.50**

No. **WR.** Same as No. WS, but reeds instead of steel strips, and different style buckle lock. Diameter either 7 or 8 inches. . Each, **$9.00**

No. **WB.** As No. WS, except without reinforcing strips, and without umbrella attachment, but with white leather lacing; lock same style as on No. WR. Diameter either 7 or 8 in. Each, **$8.00**

REGULAR AND SMALL SIZES

No. **AH.** Best quality white or brown duck, brown leather trimmings; 6 inches diameter; complete with hood to cover clubs; good quality buckle lock and brass trimmings; reinforcing steel strips, leather covered; white leather lacing; umbrella attachment. . . Each, **$7.50**

No. **AHK.** Same as No. AH, but made of lighter weight duck, khaki color. . . Each, **$7.50**

No. **A1.** Best quality white or brown duck. brown leather trimmings and white leather lacing; reinforcing steel strips, leather covered; brass trimmings. Diameter 6 inches. Ea., **$6.50**

No. **A1K.** Same as No. A1, except made of lighter weight duck, khaki color. Each, **$6.50**

No. **A2.** Good quality white or brown duck, brown leather trimmings; reinforcing steel strips, leather covered; brass trimmings. Diameter 5 or 6 inches. . . . . Each, **$5.50**

No. **A2K.** Same as No. A2, except made of lighter weight duck, khaki color. Each, **$5.50**

No. **CX.** Good white or brown duck, brown leather trimmings. 6 inches diameter. Each, **$4.00**

No. **C4.** White or brown duck, 6 in. diameter, black or brown leather trimmings, real reed reinforcing strips; large ball pocket; leather bottom with studs. Brass fittings. Each, **$3.00**

No. **C4K.** Same as No. C4, except made of khaki colored duck. . . . . Each, **$3.00**

No. **C3.** White or brown canvas; 6 in. diameter, brown leather trimmings, leather bottom, studs; ball pocket, handle and sling. Brass fittings. . . . . Each, **$2.50**

No. **C3K.** As No. C3, except made of khaki colored canvas. . . . . Each, **$2.50**

No. **CO.** White or brown duck, brown leather trimmings, ball pocket; leather bottom with studs; shoulder strap. Diameter $4\frac{1}{2}$ in. Each, **$2.00**

No. **C2.** Brown or white canvas; canvas covered bottom with studs; ball pocket; leather handle and shoulder sling. Diameter 5 in. Ea., **$1.50**

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No. A1

No. C3

No. CO

No. WB

No. AH

No. A2

No. C4

Patented May 5, 1914.

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Standard Policy

A Standard Quality must be inseparably linked to a Standard Policy.

Without a definite and Standard Mercantile Policy, it is impossible for a Manufacturer to long maintain a Standard Quality.

To market his goods through the jobber, a manufacturer must provide a profit for the jobber as well as for the retail dealer. To meet these conditions of Dual Profits, the manufacturer is obliged to set a proportionately high list price on his goods to the consumer.

To enable the glib salesman, when booking his orders, to figure out attractive profits to both the jobber and retailer, these high list prices are absolutely essential; but their real purpose will have been served when the manufacturer has secured his order from the jobber, and the jobber has secured his order from the retailer.

However, these deceptive high list prices are not fair to the consumer, who does not, and, in reality, is not ever expected to pay these fancy list prices.

When the season opens for the sale of such goods, with their misleading but alluring high list prices, the retailer begins to realize his responsibilities, and grapples with the situation as best he can, by offering "special discounts," which vary with local trade conditions.

Under this system of merchandising, the profits to both the manufacturer and the jobber are assured; but as there is no stability maintained in the prices to the consumer, the keen competition amongst the local dealers invariably leads to a demoralized cutting of prices by which the profits of the retailer are practically eliminated.

This demoralization always reacts on the manufacturer. The jobber insists on lower, and still lower, prices. The manufacturer, in his turn, meets this demand for the lowering of prices by the only way open to him, viz.: the cheapening and degrading of the quality of his product.

The foregoing conditions became so intolerable that 16 years ago, in 1899, A. G. Spalding & Bros. determined to rectify this demoralization in the Athletic Goods Trade, and inaugurated what has since become known as "The Spalding Policy."

"The Spalding Policy" eliminates the jobber entirely, so far as Spalding Goods are concerned, and the retail dealer secures the supply of Spalding Athletic Goods direct from the manufacturer by which the retail dealer is assured a fair and legitimate profit on all Spalding Athletic Goods, and the consumer is assured a Standard Quality and is protected from imposition.

"The Spalding Policy" is decidedly for the interest and protection of the users of Athletic Goods, and acts in two ways:

First.—The user is assured of genuine Official Standard Athletic Goods.

Second.—As manufacturers, we can proceed with confidence in purchasing at the proper time, the very best raw materials required in the manufacture of our various goods, well ahead of their respective seasons, and this enables us to provide the necessary quantity and absolutely maintain the Spalding Standard of Quality.

All retail dealers handling Spalding Athletic Goods are requested to supply consumers at our regular printed catalogue prices—neither more nor less—the same prices that similar goods are sold for in our New York, Chicago and other stores.

All Spalding dealers, as well as users of Spalding Athletic Goods, are treated exactly alike, and no special rebates or discriminations are allowed to anyone.

This briefly, is "The Spalding Policy," which has already been in successful operation for the past 16 years, and will be indefinitely continued.

In other words, "The Spalding Policy" is a "square deal" for everybody.

A. G. SPALDING & BROS.

By A. G. Spalding.

PRESIDENT.

Standard Quality

An article that is universally given the appellation "Sta[illegible]" is thereby conceded to be the criterion, to which are compared all other things of a similar nature. For instance, the Gold Dollar of the United States is the Standard unit of currency, because it must legally contain a specific proportion of pure gold, and the fact of its being Genuine is guaranteed by the Government Stamp thereon. As a protection to the users of this currency against counterfeiting and other tricks, considerable money is expended in maintaining a Secret Service Bureau of Experts. Under the law, citizen manufacturers must depend to a great extent upon Trade-Marks and similar devices to protect themselves against counterfeit products—without the aid of "Government Detectives" or "Public Opinion" to assist them.

Consequently the "Consumer's Protection" against misrepresentation and "inferior quality" rests entirely upon the integrity and responsibility of the "Manufacturer."

A. G. Spaldi[illegible] rigorous attention to "Quality" for thirty-nine yea[illegible] Trade-Mark to become known throughout the world as a [illegible] as dependable in their field as the U. S. Currency is [illegible]

"The best pr[illegible] Guarantee of the Spalding Trade-Mark [illegible] a Standard Quality [illegible] Goods, is, therefore [illegible] ous as it is a necessity of the Government [illegible] ning a Standard [illegible]

Thus each consumer is not only [illegible] but also pro[illegible] consumers when he assists a Reliab[illegible] upholdi[illegible] Mark and all the [illegible] stands for. [illegible] users o[illegible] Goods to as[illegible] in maintaining [illegible] nerd of E[illegible] insisting th[illegible] Mark be pl[illegible] on all athletic [illegible] but this precaution our best efforts towards [illegible] preventing fraudulent substitution will be ineff[illegible]

[illegible]facturers of Standard Articles invariably suffer the reputati[illegible] [illegible]ed, and [illegible] sentiment is fostered and emphasized by [illegible] "[illegible]oods," [illegible]m low prices are the main consideration.

[illegible]nized Standard Goods, with a reputation to [illegible] an[illegible] not necessarily have higher prices than a man[illegible]ture[illegible] [illegible]ce of and basis of a claim for Standard [illegible] depend[illegible] eloquence of the salesman.

We [illegible] [illegible]ice that there is no quicksand more uns[illegible] poverty in[illegible] we avoid this quicksand by Standard Quality.

A. G. Spalding & Bros.